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TEN CENTS A WEEK

## YOUNG GIRL BRUTALLY ASSAULTED BY NEGRO

While On Her Way to School From Her Country Home to Lakeland.

LAKELAND, Fla., Feb. 10.—This place was the scene of great excitement Tuesday because of the dastardly assault of a burly negro upon Miss Irma Newell, the attractive 16-year-old daughter of Mr. George W. Newell, who resides three miles north of town.

The young lady was en route to school about 8 o'clock yesterday morning and when about half-way to this city a negro brute sprang from the palmettos near the road and, seizing her, threw her to the ground, choking her into silence, while he attempted to accomplish his fiendish purpose. In the latter respect he was not successful.

The young lady, suffering great agony and half dead from fright, started for this city, when she was met by Mr. G. B. Murrell, who took her in his buggy and hurried her to the office of Dr. Henley, where a hurried examination of her injuries was made. They were fortunately found to be slight, and with a good description of the negro given by the girl, every

man who could secure a conveyance was hastening to the scene with guns.

Telephone connection was made at once with the sheriff's office at Bartow and also with Plant City, and bloodhounds from both places were hurried here in automobiles. Mr. Paramore of Plant City arrived with his bloodhounds at 10 o'clock and hundreds of men have hurried to the scene. Sheriff Logan arrived a few minutes later and with the county bloodhounds and hundreds of excited citizens have repaired to the scene and the hounds put on the trail.

A telephone message was received by The Sun last night that a negro suspected of the dastardly assault had been captured and placed in jail at Lakeland, and that armed men were guarding the jail to prevent the sheriff from removing the prisoner pending his identification. If he is positively identified by the young lady there is no doubt as to what will be done with him.

## Daughters of Confederacy Called in Extra Session

AUGUSTA, Ga., Feb. 10.—Much interest is centered in the call for the extra session of the United Daughters of the Confederacy in Atlanta March 11, for the purpose of reconsidering the action of the Savannah convention in ordering the Wirz monument placed at Richmond.

Those in favor of Richmond as the site for the monument oppose the extra session; they claim that Richmond won by as legal a procedure as ever decided any question and that the setting aside of a decision reached in regular session is unconstitutional. They recognize the claim of no Georgia city, except Andersonville, and this site is not advocated because it is in Georgia but because it was here that Wirz's duties for the Confederacy were performed. Since he did not serve the State of Georgia but the entire Confederacy, they feel that the shaft would lose its significance if placed anywhere but at Andersonville or Richmond, the "Westminster of the Confederacy."

## What Was Transpiring in Gainesville in 1876

(Gainesville Times, July 6, 1876—E. M. Hampton, Editor.)

B. M. Smith has nearly completed his residence, a large two-story building and a very creditable addition to the city.

A large fine dwelling house, the property of our mayor, S. J. Burnett, is just being completed, and in a short while will be ready for use.

The marshal has commenced having the plentiful crop of weeds around the square cut down; would it not be a good idea to have them removed from the corporate limits?

The large new store being erected by Matheson & Co. will be the largest and most creditable building of the kind in town.

Mr. J. B. Brown, our delegate to the St. Louis convention, returned on Tuesday.

Mrs. B. C. Drake, editress of The Citizen, arrived on Tuesday, direct from the Centennial Exposition.

Mr. R. R. Snowden has painted his drug store, which adds considerably to the looks of the place.

The printers say, many thanks to

Mr. F. X. Miller for that fine watermelon.

Mr. R. R. Snowden has purchased the drug store of J. F. McKinstry & Co.

Our colored population turned out in force on Tuesday to show their appreciation of the "glorious fourth" and its centennial privileges; a grand parade through the streets headed by the brass band, and thence on to the picnic grounds, where the day was spent, were the principal demonstrations. At night the same party gathered at the colored academy, and after exercises by the pupils, the rival politicians, Walls and Dennis, addressed the meeting.

New buildings are being erected in almost every portion of town; this fact alone speaks volumes for the enterprise and future of the place.

We are pleased to welcome in our midst once more Mr. J. M. Endel, son of our enterprising merchant, M. Endel. Mr. E. has been to the Centennial, and gives a very interesting account of the exhibition.

## MANY DUELS FOUGHT IN SPANISH PLAZA

PENSACOLA'S PRESENT BEAUTIFUL PARK HISTORIC SPOT.

Has Witnessed Change of Five Different Flags—Gen. Jackson Received Surrender of English There.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Feb. 10.—One of the most historic spots in all the Southland is the Plaza, or public square, at Pensacola. Laid out by the Spaniards during one of the Castilian occupancies of the Deep Water City, the Plaza was named Ferdinand VII in honor of the Spanish monarch who resigned at the period of its dedication, as a playground for the use of the then inhabitants of Pensacola.

Since then it has continued to exist undisturbed by five successive changes of flags over the territory now forming the State of Florida. First Spanish, the territory was captured by the French and for a time was a part of the dominion of France in the western world. After a few years of French occupancy it was recaptured by the Spanish and so remained until its capture by the English during the seventies of the eighteenth century. Under this English regime, which lasted until 1781, when the Spanish under Galvez restored the territory to the crown of Spain, the Pensacola of today was surveyed and mapped, and the Plaza permanently dedicated to its present purpose as a central playground and beauty spot of the city for all time.

### Famous Duelling Ground.

From 1781 until 1819, when the territory of Florida was ceded to the United States by Spain, Pensacola continued an uninterrupted existence as a Spanish province and the Plaza was regarded as the central congregating place for the inhabitants. It was also the favorite duelling ground for the young Spanish dons of those romantic days, and tradition says that almost innumerable questions of honor have been adjusted under the code within its historic enclosure. This, however, is merely traditional, but it is an historical fact that near the present northeast entrance of the Plaza General Andrew Jackson ("Old Hickory") received the surrender of the English forces in 1814, the old Tennessee warrior having walked to that spot from his headquarters, which were located in the old building in DeLuna street, recently vacated by the Pensacola Chamber of Commerce, for the purpose of receiving the Englishman's surrender of the War of 1812.

For years the Plaza was neglected, little or nothing having been done toward its beautification. Indeed, for a number of years it was the dumping ground for thousands of loads of street sweepings and gutter garbage.

### A Beautiful Place.

Ten years ago, however, its susceptibilities for transformation into one of the entire South's most beautiful public parks dawned upon Pensacola and its improvement was commenced by placing a handsome granite monument in its center dedicated to West Florida's and Pensacola's pioneer in development, the lamented W. D. Chipley. This was followed by a substantial granite coping and cement walks around all four of its sides, together with other improvements. But not until within the past year and a half has any systematically directed effort been made toward its permanent beautification. This was done when the city council made provision less than two years ago for a systematic crusade of city park improvements. A commission was created and provided with funds and an experienced landscape gardener was secured and given carte blanche to make a flower garden of the Plaza. The result is that it has been transformed from an unkempt, neglected city block into one

## BODY OF MISSING MAN UNEARTHED AT TAMPA

Identified as B. LaBella, a Wealthy New York Broker in Italian Imports.

TAMPA, Fla., Feb. 10.—A horrible find was made by a farmer at noon Tuesday about a mile southwest of the dam on the Hillsborough river. He was hunting for some of his strayed hogs, and smelling an odor as if of decaying flesh emanating from a newly-made mound of earth, went to it and commenced to dig, expecting to find a missing hog, which he supposed someone had killed and buried portions of. He was horrified to strike with his hand a man's leg embedded in the sand. He without further disturbing the earth, sought assistance through telephone messages, and Deputy Sheriff W. C. Spencer was soon on the scene. The deputy at once notified Justice Lee Gibson, who, acting as coroner, summoned a jury, and had the body exhumed in the jury-men's presence, when it was found that a man well-dressed and evidently a Cuban or Italian, had been the victim of foul murder, and then deposited in a shallow grave after having been dealt heavy blows over the head with some implement, the body giving evidence from the pools of clotted blood around it of having been put under ground while the wounds were still flowing with the crimson life-giving fluid.

### Stylishly Dressed.

The body was dressed in a stylish

brown suit of clothes of fine texture, and was evidently that of well-to-do man of the Latin race. The sheriff's office will so far give out no information as to who the man is, though Deputy Sheriff Spencer, who has been diligently working on the case, says that there is a very tangible clue to the identity of the murderer, and nothing can be said further until he is in the hands of the law. The coroner's jury adjourned without taking any evidence to allow the officers to secure evidence, which is considered important in the inquest.

### Body Identified.

The body was later identified as that of B. LaBella, a wealthy New York broker in Italian imports, who has been visiting here. An Italian named Valente, with whom the murdered man boarded, and Onafario Caramente, an Italian peddler, of West Tampa, have been lodged in jail on suspicion of knowing about the killing. Both deny any knowledge of it. The body was stripped of valuables, and robbery was evidently the motive for the crime.

The want ads. do more real estate business than all other brokers combined—in fact, they "start" most of the business that the brokers and agents finish.

## Richard Cooley Is Told He Must Leave the State

PENSACOLA, Fla., Feb. 10.—Told to leave the State within seven days or else he would be brought before the court for sentence, the term of which was not announced, Richard Cooley, a young man who, up to within a few years ago, bore a good reputation, yesterday walked from the criminal court room, where he had entered a plea of guilty to the larceny of a case of whiskey. That his presence in Pensacola or for that matter the entire State of Florida, is not desired, was shown by the language of the judge in

passing sentence, and Cooley promised to leave the State within the prescribed time, never to return. At the same time another young man, who formerly bore a good reputation, and who is of good family, was sentenced. Robert Crockett, who was with Cooley when the theft was committed, also pleaded guilty, and he was told never to touch another drop of whiskey. Sentence was suspended upon this condition, and if it is violated he will be arrested and held awaiting sentence upon the charge of which he entered a plea of guilty.

## Senator Tillman Wins His Fight Against Dr. Crum

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Senator Frye yesterday abandoned his efforts to have the nomination of W. D. Crum, the negro, reappointed as collector of customs at Charleston, S. C., confirmed at the present session.

After the doors of the Senate were closed, he asked the Democrats to

agree to permit the Crum nomination to come to a vote on March 1. Failing to obtain the agreement, he said:

"Very well, I will withdraw the nomination for the present."

It is understood by Senate leaders that the case will not be again considered at the present session.

of the most attractive city parks in all the country, which will prove a boon as an open-air resting place, as well as a point of vantage from which to witness the Mardi Gras parade to the thousands of carnival visitors who will throng Pensacola during the carnival February 22 and 23.

### WALDO NOTES.

WALDO, Feb. 10.—W. D. Finlayson & Co. have moved to the Strickland brick block for more room for their increasing trade.

The pastor of the Methodist church,

Rev. T. L. Z. Barr, has a daughter very ill.

Dr. J. M. Boring has returned from Atlanta and resumed practice, as Dr. Pierce is to locate elsewhere.

Chris. Neal is quite ill at his home, a few miles away.

Mr. Scarborough, having covered a part of his strawberries, is marketing right along.

There is a prospect of a feed store being opened in our town.

As advertising finds the best market for everything else, why not for your personal services?



## CATHERINE HAILE GAINED YESTERDAY

MISS DORIAN ELLIS GRADUALLY  
CLOSING THE GAP

Which Separates Her from the Leader,  
Miss Bessie Dupree—Voting Con-  
fined Principally to Leaders.

Outside of the four leaders there  
was very little doing in the way of  
votes in the piano contest yesterday.

Following is the grand total of all  
votes received by the contestants up  
to date:

Miss Bessie Dupree, city.....	647,530
Miss Dorian Ellis, city.....	639,315
Miss Catherine Haile, city.....	556,570
Miss Florrie Strickland.....	281,335
Miss M. Daughtrey, city.....	158,370
Miss Mary McCormick, city.....	71,065
Miss Nannie Dickinson, city.....	52,870
Miss Alma Fennell, city.....	47,315
Miss Julia Carter, city.....	44,230
Miss A. Groff, Newberry.....	37,910
Miss Jessie Evans, city.....	30,015
Miss Mabel Sanchez, city.....	29,710
Miss A. Strickland, Waldo.....	21,860
Miss Estelle Deal, city.....	20,135
Miss Annie Beville.....	18,135
Miss Emma Hudson, city.....	11,485
Mrs. I. Ware, High Springs.....	10,520
Miss Elvena Staf, Waldo.....	10,490
Miss Lizzie Sheppard, Bell.....	5,905
Miss Goldie Lambert, city.....	5,640
Miss K. Carlton, Micanopy.....	5,490
Miss Mary Thigpin, city.....	3,795
Miss M. Fernandez, city.....	3,620
Mrs. A. W. Sargent.....	3,235
Miss L. Sanders, Hawthorn.....	3,150
Miss Ruby Albright.....	3,080
Miss Mamie Fagan.....	110

### Had Men Arrested.

A Mrs. Davis, who runs a boarding-  
house at McIntosh, yesterday 'phoned  
the sheriff here to arrest a couple of  
young men who were making for the  
city, claiming that they had been  
guilty of forgery. Deputy Sheriff  
Dawkins succeeded in capturing the  
men, who were fairly well dressed,  
and they claimed that they had only  
jumped their board bill, being unable  
to pay the same. They are now in jail  
awaiting further orders from Mc-  
Intosh.

See the Lyman Twins at The Baird  
Theatre tomorrow night.

All Kinds  
Fresh  
Garden  
Seeds  
Just  
Received

These seed are sure  
to come up, so don't  
run any risk and Buy  
Seed from US.

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Both Phones—Bell 99

## The General Demand

of the Well-Informed of the World has  
always been for a simple, pleasant and  
efficient liquid laxative remedy of known  
value; a laxative which physicians could  
sanction for family use because its com-  
ponent parts are known to them to be  
wholesome and truly beneficial in effect,  
acceptable to the system and gentle, yet  
prompt, in action.

In supplying that demand with its ex-  
cellent combination of Syrup of Figs and  
Elixir of Senna, the California Fig Syrup  
Co. proceeds along ethical lines and relies  
on the merits of the laxative for its remark-  
able success.

That is one of many reasons why  
Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna is given  
the preference by the Well-Informed.  
To get its beneficial effects always buy  
the genuine—manufactured by the Cali-  
fornia Fig Syrup Co., only, and for sale  
by all leading druggists. Price fifty cents  
per bottle.

## SIGNING CONTRACT IS SOON EXPECTED

DISBURSING OFFICER REQUEST-  
ED TO INCREASE HIS BOND.

Thought That Something Definite Will  
Be Known Here Within Next Few  
Days Concerning the Matter.

The next few days is expected to  
bring forth the news of the signing  
of the contract for the Government  
building, as all indications now point  
to the incident being closed, when the  
citizens will become at ease in the  
matter.

B. F. Hampton, representing the  
Gainesville Board of Trade, is now in  
Washington doing everything possible  
to further these ends, and something  
very satisfactory is expected from  
him at almost any time.

H. E. Taylor, cashier of the First  
National Bank, has been requested to  
increase his bond as disbursing of-  
ficer, which is an indication that some-  
thing is being done along this line.

So many rumors are afloat concern-  
ing the building that we give the  
above information, but we can assure  
our readers that we will know as soon  
as the papers are signed and will let  
them know just when the contract is  
awarded, regardless of the rumors.

### For City Marshal.

To the Voters of the City of Gaines-  
ville:

I am a candidate for City Marshal,  
for re-election on April 13. I have  
served the people faithfully and effi-  
ciently, night and day, and my record  
is open for inspection.

If my service during the past year  
has been satisfactory I ask the sup-  
port and vote of each and every citi-  
zen who is qualified. I can only  
promise the same service as I have  
endeavored to give in the past.

Yours for order,  
BEN T. ARNOW.

I take this method of informing the  
public that I am a candidate for City  
Marshal at the election to be held on  
April 13, 1909. I respectfully solicit  
the support of all voters, irrespective  
of party affiliation, and promise to  
faithfully and impartially discharge  
the duties of the office should I be  
elected. Respectfully,

CHAS. C. WARREN.

I respectfully announce myself a  
candidate for the office of City Mar-  
shal, to be voted for at the election  
on April 13, 1909. If elected I will  
faithfully discharge the duties of the  
office without fear or favor. I re-  
spectfully solicit the votes of all, ir-  
respective of party affiliation.

CHAS. M. DELL.

### Hamlet

Had melancholy, probably caused by  
an inactive liver. A bad liver makes  
one cross and irritable, causes mental  
and physical depression and may re-  
sult disastrously. Ballard's Herbine  
is acknowledged to be the perfect liver  
regulator. If you're blue and out of  
sorts, get a bottle today. A positive  
cure for bilious headache, constipa-  
tion, chills and fever and all liver  
complaints. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

The awake person reads the want  
ads. every day—and answers some al-  
most as often.

# AMUSEMENTS

By F. M. P.

## COMING ATTRACTIONS.

### New Baird Theatre.

Friday, Feb. 12—The Lyman Twins  
Company, with big beauty chorus, in  
"The Yankee Drummers"

Monday, Feb. 15—"Happy Hootigan  
in New York."

### Electric Theatre.

Thursday and Friday Nights, Feb.  
11, 12—John Thompson in "Funny  
Fellows of New York."

Saturday Afternoon and Night, Feb.  
13—"Dakota Bob."

New Moving Pictures, each afternoon  
and night, except Sunday.

### "The Late Mr. Jones."

"The Late Mr. Jones" was present-  
ed at The New Baird Theatre last

meets the drummer and thinking it's  
his son returning, insists on him go-  
ing home. The drummer is dumfound-  
ed at this turn of things, his protesta-  
tions being of no avail. Then the real  
son appears on the scene, followed by  
the detective looking for his prey, and  
the screaming situations follow one  
another in rapid succession through-  
out the entire three acts.

The piece is handsomely staged and  
a select chorus of pretty girls add  
much, together with the numerous  
jingling musical numbers given  
through the show go to make  
it one of the hits of the season.

The Lyman Twins appear at The  
Baird Theatre tomorrow night. Seats  
on sale at Miller's today. Prices, 25c,  
50c, 75c and \$1.00.

Read the want ads. in today's Sun.



THE LYMAN TWINS.

These Popular Comedians, With a High-Class Company, Will Present "The  
Yankee Drummers" at The New Baird Theatre Tomorrow Night.

night to a large and enthusiastic audi-  
ence and Mr. Hudgins and his coterie  
of actors and actresses won new  
laurels. Further mention will be made  
tomorrow.

### Electric Theatre.

John Thompson will appear tonight  
at the Electric Theatre in his amusing  
interesting and wonderful imitation of  
ten different characters of as many  
nationalities, all taking their part in  
his production of the "Funny Fel-  
lows of New York," one of the most  
side-splitting farce comedies presented  
to the public today. Mr. Thompson  
is no stranger to many in Gainesville  
and his appearance here will be  
greeted by large audiences. His en-  
gagement includes Friday night, and  
in addition to his farce, he will have  
a list of music, instrumental and vo-  
cal, of themselves sufficient for an  
evening's enjoyment.

Remember, only two nights to see  
and hear John Thompson.

### "The Yankee Drummers."

"The Yankee Drummers," the new  
musical production which the Lyman  
Twins are playing this season, has  
made a most decided hit everywhere  
as it is declared a distinct novelty in  
the musical comedy line of attraction  
which has become so popular.

It depicts a very clever and amusing  
story of a young drummer who loses  
his position through a mistake in  
ordering two cars of Uneda Biscuit in-  
stead for two cases. He is known  
only as "The Yankee Drummer." How-  
ever, it involves the firm in a law-  
suit and they put a dutch detective on  
his trail. In the meantime the drum-  
mer is passing off as the son of Judge  
Goodall, a wealthy New Yorker, his  
real son having run away. The Judge

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## IMPORTANT CHANGES AT INSANE HOSPITAL

TWO CLINICAL ASSISTANTS TO BE  
ADDED TO MEDICAL STAFF.

Chief Physician of Institution  
Will Have Co-Operation of Board  
of State Institutions in Work.

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., Feb. 10.—The  
Board of Commissioners of State In-  
stitutions have made provision for two  
clinical improvements in the medical  
service at the Florida Hospital for the  
Insane at Chattahoochee.

Dr. James H. Randolph, the newly  
elected chief physician of the hospital,  
was present to confer with the board  
on the needs of that department,  
and it was developed that the Doctor  
has conceived a very high standard  
for his staff to attain and that the  
board will do all in its power to bring  
the medical service of that institution  
up to the highest efficiency.

The board resolved that after April  
1st, 1909, when Dr. Randolph will as-  
sume his new position, there shall be  
employed at the Hospital for the In-  
sane, in addition to the chief physi-  
cian and his assistant, two clinical as-  
sistants, who shall be graduates of a  
reputable medical school and whose  
compensation shall be \$30 per month  
and board. These clinical assistants,  
who will be selected with utmost care,  
will be always under the supervision  
and direction of the regular physi-  
cians, and are expected to add great-  
ly to the care and attention given to  
patients. The assistants, on the other  
hand, will receive experience of great  
value for their professional careers,  
and it is believed the positions will be  
sought by the most competent medi-  
cal graduates.

The board also provided that after  
April 1st there shall be appointed a  
visiting staff for the Florida Hospital  
for the Insane, to consist of not more  
than seven reputable Florida physi-  
cians, each of whom shall be a special-  
ist in the particular field for which  
he is appointed. It is proposed that  
on the visiting staff there shall be at  
least one member eminent in surgery,  
one a specialist in diseases of the eye,  
ear, nose and throat, one gynecologist,  
one a genito-urinary specialist, etc.  
For this staff the board wants none  
but the best doctors who can be had.  
Constant effort will be made to keep  
the standard so high that membership  
on this staff will be considered a sig-  
nal honor by the most eminent physi-  
cians. The plan is that members of  
the visiting staff shall visit the hos-  
pital from time to time to inspect con-  
ditions there, to examine patients,  
make suggestions, and in various man-  
ner consult and co-operate with the  
resident physicians for the better-  
ment of patients at the hospital.

The visiting staff will serve without  
compensation, but their traveling ex-  
penses and entertainment while at the  
hospital will be defrayed by the State.

### MELROSE NEWS.

MELROSE, Feb. 10.—The Arbor day  
observance was much curtailed by the  
whooping cough among the children,  
preventing many from singing or  
speaking, so only one tree was planted  
and a short program rendered.

D. Pugh and party from Ohio are  
among the new arrivals in town.

The fine Victor graphophone recent-  
ly ordered by Rev. J. A. Waters has  
arrived and will soon be enjoyed by  
his friends.

An important real estate transaction  
was arranged last week, when J. N.  
Cole of Utica, N. Y., became the owner  
of the Caldwell property, one of the  
best locations in town.

Ed Mahan of St. Marys, Fla., is  
stopping at Mrs. Lee's. Mr. Mahan is  
a first-class surveyor and has been  
engaged by the town council to survey  
the town limits and make a map of  
same for the town.

Under the supervision of L. M. Bald-  
win, chairman of the street commit-  
tee, good work is being done in re-  
laying and repairing the streets and  
sidewalks of the town.

F. H. Sutton has returned from  
Wannsee, where he was recently called  
to run the steamer "Alert," formerly  
on Santa Fe Lake, for a prospective  
buyer, but who failed to show up.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Curtis of Orange  
Height are giving a series of lunch-  
ons to their Melrose friends. That  
they are always most enjoyable af-  
fairs goes without saying.

## MEN ARE HELPLESS AS CHILDREN

When Taken Suddenly Ill—Here Is a  
Common-Sense Safeguard.

Big, strong man is as a helpless in-  
fant when he is suddenly ill.

The sturdiest chap in town usually  
loses his self control, and is utterly  
unable to regard his condition with  
the common sense that characterizes  
his every-day actions.

For example: He comes home tired,  
eats a heavy dinner and sits down to  
read and smoke away a quiet evening.  
Suddenly he notices a weight on his  
stomach; then sharp pains around his  
heart, and a feeling of suffocation.  
Thoughts of "heart disease" rush over  
him, and in his agony he fears the  
worst.

His trouble was acute indigestion,  
brought on by overloading his tired  
stomach.

A couple of Rexall Dyspepsia Tab-  
lets would have given him instant re-  
lief—would have saved him hours of  
suffering.

Carry a package of Rexall Dyspepsia  
Tablets in your vest pocket or keep  
them in your room. Take one after  
each heavy meal, and indigestion can  
never bother you.

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablets cure  
stomach troubles by supplying the one  
element, the absence of which in the  
gastric juices, causes indigestion and  
dyspepsia. They enable the stomach  
to digest all kinds of food and to  
quickly convert it into rich red blood.

We know what Rexall Dyspepsia  
Tablets are and what they will do. We  
guarantee them to cure indigestion  
and dyspepsia. If they fail, we will  
refund your money.

Price, 25 cents per full package. Sold  
only at our stores or by mail. J. W.  
McCollum & Co., corner East Main  
and Union streets.

### PROF. CORR'S LECTURE.

Was Greeted By a Packed House at  
Island Grove.

Editor Sun: It was my pleasure to  
spend Saturday and Sunday in Island  
Grove, the guest of Rev. J. N. Thomp-  
son and of Professor W. F. King. Sat-  
urday night I gave a lecture in the  
school building to a packed house.  
Through your columns I desire to ex-  
tend my sincere thanks to the citizens  
of Island Grove for their hospitality.  
The school board made no mistake  
in placing Prof. King in charge of the  
Island Grove school. The impress of  
his earnestness is very evident.

P. W. CORR.

Dade City, Fla., Feb. 10, 1909.

### OCALA EAGLES.

Representative Crowd from Brick City  
Put Boys Through.

The working team of the Ocala  
Aerie, F. O. E., arrived in the city  
Wednesday afternoon for the purpose  
of initiating the local members into  
the secret work of the order.

The party composing the team were:  
C. O. Harris, C. A. Fort, W. S. Mc-  
Laughlin, A. S. Burgess, A. O. Cordero,  
J. F. Hall, Andy Faucett, W. G. Evans,  
J. C. Marshall, T. S. Deacle, W. C.  
Bradley, C. W. Duckworth and H. A.  
Faucett.

### TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine  
Tablets. Druggists refund money if  
it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S sig-  
nature is on each box. 25c.

### The Age of Man.

It is generally admitted by scientists  
that men lived on the earth contempor-  
aneously with the big nosed rhinoc-  
eros, which became extinct about the  
beginning of the glacial period. That  
period, so high an authority as the late  
John Fiske assures us, probably began  
not less than 240,000 years ago and  
came to an end 80,000 years ago. How  
long man existed on the earth prior to  
the glacial period we have no means  
of knowing.—New York American.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dys-  
pepsia and constipation—weakens the  
whole system. Doan's Regulets (25  
cents per box) correct the liver, tone  
the stomach, cure constipation.

## SETZER IS CHARGED WITH SELLING BOOZE

SHERIFF RAMSEY ARRESTED HIM  
WEDNESDAY FOR OFFENCE.

Warrant Was Sworn Out by W. D.

Blitch of High Springs on  
Above Charge.

H. L. Setzer, a merchant of High  
Springs, has been arrested by Sheriff  
Ramsey on a charge of selling whis-  
key in that town and will be given  
his preliminary hearing here before  
County Judge Mason.

Setzer had already been arrested  
by the marshal of High Springs, who,  
it is alleged, found two barrels of bot-  
tled goods in his possession, one being  
filled with pints and the other with  
quarts.

It is alleged that Setzer has been  
dealing in the liquid for some time  
and a close watch has been kept on  
his place of business until the time of  
his arrest, which was done by the  
city officers of High Springs on last  
Monday, but for unknown reasons the  
case has been put off, with the result  
that a warrant was sworn out here  
for the man and the sheriff went after  
him.

### OBITUARY.

Walter Horatio Palmer, Esq., who  
departed this life at his home in North  
Gainesville on Sunday evening, Jan-  
uary 31, 1909, came from an honored  
and distinguished ancestry. His ma-  
ternal ancestor, Charles Clarke, who  
for nearly fifty years held the office of  
justice of the county of Hunterdon,  
New Jersey, was appointed by the  
Governor in 1731, and was relieved,  
at his own request, on account of the  
infirmities of age. His son, Benjamin  
Clarke, was made his successor by the  
Governor and council.

Charles Clarke was also one of the  
incorporators of the First Presbyter-  
ian Church of Trenton, New Jersey,  
under a patent granted by King  
George II, of this church, one of the  
very first Presbyterian organizations  
effected in the American colonies. He  
was a trustee, "which office he held  
for nearly twenty-five years, and never  
failed to be present at a business  
meeting."

In this line, Mr. Palmer was, through  
Joshua Howell and Rebecca Reed, a  
kinsman of Mrs. Varina Davis, the  
wife of Jefferson Davis, the President  
of the Confederate States.

Mr. Palmer was born at Northville,  
Michigan, August 30, 1843. He was a  
graduate of the University of Michi-  
gan in 1871. For two years (1877 and  
1879) he served as a member of the  
Legislature of his native State, with  
a record clear and unsullied. He  
practiced law in Reed City, Michigan,  
and then in Detroit, and had continued  
in the active duties of his chosen pro-  
fession to the end of his life, with the  
exception of four or five years after  
he came to Florida, because of failing  
health, which period was given to edi-  
torial work on a weekly paper pub-  
lished in Gainesville. He was a most  
able lawyer, just and firm in his con-  
victions, and never wavering or un-  
certain in any statement concerning  
the law.

A friend who was intimately and con-  
stantly associated with him for five  
years, says: "I have never heard Mr.  
Palmer speak a profane or unclean  
word; and I have never had an unkind  
thought of him."

Mr. Palmer married Miss Viola  
Misick of Sandwich, Illinois, in 1875,  
who survives him. The living chil-  
dren of this marriage are J. Holland  
Palmer of Macon, Georgia, and Flor-  
ence L. Palmer, the wife of Herbert  
S. Graves of Gainesville.

Coming to Florida in 1884 in search  
of health, Mr. Palmer spent the last  
twenty-five years of his life in Gaines-  
ville, in honor and integrity; he be-  
came fully identified with its people  
and interests, and leaves it the poorer,  
in the loss of an upright and useful  
citizen.

He was a devoted husband, a tend-  
erly affectionate father, a kind and  
courteous neighbor, and a loyal friend  
to all who won his confidence and  
esteem.

Gainesville, Florida, Feb. 10, 1909.

## Stop it! Why cough? Stop it!

Stop coughing! Coughing rasps and tears. Stop it! Coughing  
prepares the throat and lungs for more trouble. Stop it! There is  
nothing so bad for a cough as coughing. Stop it! Ayer's Cherry  
Pectoral is a medicine for coughs and colds, a regular doctor's medi-  
cine. Use it! Ask your doctor if this is not good advice. J. C. Ayer & Co.,  
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and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind  
Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation  
and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the  
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## NEWS FROM ALL PARTS OF FLORIDA

Ripe peaches are being shipped from Magdalene to the Tampa market.

Lakeland growers are netting 35 cents per quart for their strawberries.

Several new school buildings will be erected in Duval county the present year.

Even the tomato leaves were not "scorched" by the frost near Avon Park.

The Florida Orange Growers' Association will meet in Tampa on February 26.

A gang of pickpockets continue to get in their work at the union station in Jacksonville.

Improvements are the order of the day at Pablo Beach under the new municipal government.

Over eighty thousand quarts of strawberries have been shipped from Plant City thus far the present season.

St. Petersburg is to have another bond election. This time it is to be for \$75,000 and is to be held on March 23rd.

Miami yachtsmen will soon have a new club house. There are many fine yachts to be seen daily plying the waters of Biscayne Bay.

Bartow has a record for buildings which would be very complimentary to a town much larger than it. Structures

## STOMACH AGONY

Abolish the Cause, and Misery and Distress of Indigestion Will Vanish.

Can indigestion be cured? Hundreds of thousands of people who suffer from belching of gas; biliousness, sour stomach, fullness, nausea, shortness of breath, bad taste in mouth, foul breath, nervousness and other distressing symptoms, are asking themselves that question daily.

And if these same doubting dyspeptics could only read the thousands of sincere letters from people who once suffered as badly as they do now, but who have been quickly and permanently cured by the use of Mi-o-na, the mighty dyspepsia remedy that cures by removing the cause, they would go to J. W. McCollum & Co. this very day and get a large box of Mi-o-na tablets, and start themselves on the right road to health at once.

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"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the most successful remedy for all kinds of female troubles, and I feel that I can never praise it enough." — Mrs. LIZZIE HOLLAND, Noah, Ky.

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Women everywhere should remember that there is no other remedy known to medicine that will so successfully carry women through this trying period as Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs.

For 30 years it has been curing women from the worst forms of female ills—inflammation, ulceration, displacements, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, and nervous prostration.

If you would like special advice about your case write a confidential letter to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free, and always helpful.

tures contracted for and erected amount to \$220,000.

Nearly sixty thousand boxes of oranges have been shipped from Seffner since the late cold weather. The crop there was large this season.

A contractor of Columbia, S. C., has been awarded the contract for the construction of the new building of the institute for the blind, deaf and dumb at St. Augustine. His bid was \$64,427.

Ronnie Muse, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Muse of Sanford, died Sunday from the result of an accident at the Crystal Ice Works. The little boy was playing on the trestle that supports the runway for loading ice into refrigerator cars. He was struck by a cake of ice and got entangled in the machinery. His body was terribly lacerated and he died soon after he was extricated. Ronnie was 7 years of age. He was playing with other boys and had been cautioned to be careful. The body was taken to Lawtrey by the bereaved parents for interment.

Six Nights "Go as You Please" Race.

How many tired fathers and mothers in this town enter this race every night carrying a baby? And they wonder what the matter is. Chances are the child is starving—worms are eating all of its food. Most children have worms—yours needn't. White's Cream Vermifuge will get rid of the worms and strengthen the child. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

The Basis.  
He—I wonder if we can get along all right. She—Certainly. We can buy the auto with the money father left me, and you will surely make enough to pay for running it, don't you think?—Puck.

The more one speaks of himself the less he likes to hear another talked of. —Lavater.

For HEADACHE—Hicks' CAPUDINE.

Whether from colds, heat, stomach or nervous troubles, Capudine will relieve you. It's liquid—pleasant to take—acts immediately. Try it. 10c, 25c and 50c at all drug stores.

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"So you believe in telepathy?"  
"Yes," answered Mr. Meekton. "My wife knows what I am going to think about some time before I have made my mind up on the subject myself." —Washington Star.

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Another enterprise that is favorably spoken of for Gainesville is the erection of a large mill for the purpose of utilizing the cotton seed of this section of the State.

The main promoters of this enterprise desire that their names be kept from the public just at this time, but there has already been enough interest in the enterprise to assure that it is a close probability for next fall, when the cotton seed will be plentiful in this section.

From the raw cotton seed they could manufacture meal, oil and many other useful things which we daily buy and which would open up a better market and make it more profitable to grow this crop than it has been in the past.

There are many of the members of the proposed company who are very enthusiastic over the enterprise and from present indications it looks as if something definite will be gotten in shape within a very short while.

### A GOOD SHOWING.

Honor Roll of Rocky Point School No. 76.

Grade.	Pupil.	Average.
10—	Clara McDonald.	98
7—	Henry Gleason	93
	Walter Crown	92
	Will Crown	92
5—	Martha Taylor	93
3—	Edwin McDonald	94
	Alice Crown	91
	D. A. Smith	90
2—	Raymond Crown	97
	Fred Gleason	96
	Harry McDonald	94
	Lansing Taylor	92
1—	Mary Crown	96

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If you desire to vote at the municipal election on April 13th, see to it that your name is on the city registration books.

If anyone has ever satisfactorily answered the question of "How old is Ann?" we would like to get them to figure on how long it will be before the public square is paved with vitrified brick.

The four South African British colonies have at last formed a federation much like that of Australia. The only unsettled point is that of the capital. Cape Colony wants Cape Town, Natal and Transvaal want Pretoria, and Orange is in hope that Bloemfontein will be chosen. That these colonies, which were at deadly war with each other less than a decade ago, are now working harmoniously together is a great triumph for freedom and representative government.

There is very general satisfaction that the demand of the Russian government for the extradition of Rudolfovich has been denied. The decision of the United States Government in this case is a vindication of the sacred right of asylum, and while occasionally that right may be abused, yet better that than give up so righteous a principle. We deplore the excesses of the revolutionists in Russia, but the responsibility for them must be charged against the government.

Is the good feeling between England and Japan cooling off? There are signs that it is. In the naval conference held in London the British authorities were sanguine that Japan would support their propositions, but they took the opposite position. Then, too, the Japanese minister at Peking declined to go with the American and British ministers to enquire of the Chinese government its attitude on internal reforms and their bearing upon international relations.

Encouraging blows have recently been struck at the iniquitous white slave trade in Chicago and other cities. It is impossible to conceive of any infamy greater than that of corrupting the virtue of young girls and dragging them down to lasting ruin. Yet it is a trade out of which infamous men and women have grown rich. The heavy fines and prison sentences imposed on some of the worst traffickers in human souls is likely to have a deterrent influence upon others likeminded.

Rushing together at a speed of fifty miles or more an hour two standard gauge locomotives, each of eighty tons weight, will meet with a crash and be reduced to scrap iron on February 25th at the Florida Exposition at Jacksonville. This thrilling spectacle will be presented for the entertainment of the patrons of the exposition and will no doubt be witnessed by thousands of people, for it is seldom indeed that such a sight can be seen by the public generally. Special excursion trains will be run to Jacksonville for this occasion and very low railroad rates will be given from all points. Jacksonville is certainly up to date in the way of giving attractions that will entertain the visitors. The cost of this head-on collision will be considerable, as the promoters guarantee that the engines will only be fit for the scrap pile after the impact.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

The Philadelphia Record says: "In the Balkans, before going to war, the irate governments are obliged to wait for the snow to melt. This gives them time to think and to count the cost. With the melting of the snow their wrath melts, and they set about putting in their spring crops. May we not hope, as the snow melts, for like dissipation of the anti-Jap blustering on the Pacific Coast and the Rocky mountain tops? What few Japs there are in California and Nevada will then be needed for sowing and reaping."

The Washington Post says: "There should be no curb upon the speech of Mr. Tillman or of any other Senator, excepting the curb he may place upon himself and the curb of public opinion. If the Senate should adopt the rule, there would be unseemly wrangles over the alleged offensiveness of language used, and the outcome would not be satisfactory to anybody. The Senate is a place where free speech—the pure, unadulterated truth—may be uttered by any Senator brave enough to utter it, and he may not be questioned in any other place. There should be no step taken to shackle free speech in that high forum. Public opinion will see to it that this free speech does not degenerate ofensive license."

The Baltimore Sun says: "The lavish extravagance of this Government is the wonder and astonishment of the world. In 1880 the army cost \$38,000,000; in 1908 it cost \$110,000,000. The cost of the navy grew in the same years from \$13,500,000 to \$118,000,000. The total ordinary expenses of the Government in 1880 were \$264,847,000. In 1908 they were \$659,522,000. The Fifty-first Congress appropriated in two sessions something like a thousand million dollars. It was called 'the billion-dollar Congress,' and the extent of the extravagance so shocked public sentiment that at the next election a political revolution occurred. But since that time the people have become less sensitive and they now view a two-billion-dollar Congress with equanimity. The question for the party in power to consider is whether the people will view with complacency and indifference a bond issue and war taxes in time of peace."

The Philadelphia Record says: "It was at one time the law in all the States that an alien could not take nor hold title to land. Though almost universally repealed, and considerably modified by treaties, a disposition has manifested itself in recent years to re-enact the statutes against alien land ownership. Both Illinois and Oklahoma have recently adopted laws forbidding foreigners from becoming freeholders of agricultural lands, and abridging their privileges to the acquirement of leaseholders for strictly commercial purposes. The enactment of a similar law by the California Legislature, if made applicable to all aliens, could not reasonably be made a cause of complaint on the part of Japan, particularly in view of the fact that the ownership of land by foreigners in Japan is closely restricted. The modification of the proposed California statutes in the sense indicated should satisfy all objections, since it is the present intent to follow the provisions of the Japanese law on the subject."

It is an easy but inexcusable thing to run down the place in which one lives. No talent is required to do it. All that is necessary is to persistently talk about its shortcomings, which usually are few, and ignore its advantages, which usually are many. These "kickers," which are found in almost every place, would do well to cultivate local patriotism, a quality that is too often neglected.

## Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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And why shouldn't the Chicago school authorities put a ban on the singing of "Dixie" at the Lincoln celebration? Can't think of any occasion when the South's great war song would be more completely out of place and its use show a more absurd want of good taste. The antics the New Orleans Progressive Union is cutting up about the matter will awaken the risibilities of sensible Southerners, who are noted for their sincerity and devotion to the eternal fitness of things. They love their song and honestly admire Lincoln, but surely the words of one and memory of the other would not mix any better than oil and water.—Pensacola Journal.

The Journal takes a sensible view of the matter. Is there a true Southerner who would not object to the singing of "Yankee Doodle" at the celebration of the birthday of Jeff Davis? Let's all respect the feelings of each other on such occasions, and cease this eternal stirring up of strife between the scarred veterans who fought to maintain what they deemed to be right.

"The recommendations of the committee of experts called into consultation by the Secretary of Agriculture to determine an official classification of cotton grades," says The Mobile Register, "have been received in the South without any sign of disapprobation. The standard of grades fixed by the experts and which will be adopted by the Government, is practically the Liverpool classification, comprising nine grades. To prevent confusion the Government classification will not go into effect until the beginning of the 1910 cotton season. Congress will be asked to safeguard the classification and to make appropriate penalties against tampering with the standards."

A pineapple weighing 10 pounds and having fifty-two crowns was brought into town by C. A. Killer on Monday and shipped to the Mid-Winter Exposition at Jacksonville, to be added to the St. Lucie county exhibit.—Fort Pierce Tribune.

Pensacola merchants are finding a profitable market for their surplus eggs in Tennessee towns.

## Often The Kidneys Are Weakened by Over-Work.

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for much sickness and suffering, therefore, if kidney trouble is permitted to continue, serious results are most likely to follow. Your other organs may need attention, but your kidneys most, because they do most and should have attention first. Therefore, when your kidneys are weak or out of order, you can understand how quickly your entire body is affected and how every organ seems to fail to do its duty.

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# GAINESVILLE, —THE— University City.

Gainesville is conceded to be the most enterprising as well as the most beautiful city in the interior of Florida. It is located in the very center of the State, half way between the Atlantic and Gulf Coasts, surrounded by lands of such fertility as to be capable of producing a great variety of crops; in the heart of the truck-growing, phosphate and naval stores belt. She has the best educational advantages in the State, good churches, with edifices which are superior to any town of its size in Florida, with large and consistent congregations; has a climate which cannot be excelled for health and pleasure. All these natural advantages, combined with a progressive and enterprising cosmopolitan citizenship, are sure to make a big city.

There are many natural attractions in close proximity to the city, some of which are Alachua Sink, Paine's Prairie, the Devil's Mill Hopper, Warren's Cave, and Lake Newnan, all of which are reached by private conveyance.

Spring Park Stock Farm, the largest and finest live stock farm in the State, is only eight miles west of the city and is reached by a good hard road, affording a most pleasant drive.

The farmers of Alachua county, of which Gainesville is the county seat, "live at home and board at the same place." The temperature is very uniform, scarcely ever reaching the nineties in summer or the twenties in winter. The population of Gainesville is about eight thousand, representing nearly every nationality on the face of the earth, and strangers always meet with a hearty welcome.

The University of Florida for young men and the National Agricultural Experiment Station are located within the corporate limits of the city. In fact, Gainesville has so many things that we must be pardoned if we omit a few of them in the following enumeration of what

## Gainesville Has:

One artist.  
No saloons.  
One garage.  
Four hotels.  
Four banks.  
Four dairies.  
One foundry.  
Water works.  
Ten churches.  
One gas plant.  
Two tin shops.  
Three bakeries.  
Ten physicians.  
Six fruit stores.  
Two gunsmiths.  
Six restaurants.  
One seed store.  
Board of Trade.  
Six drug stores.  
Four shoe shops.  
State University.  
Masonic Temple.  
Twenty lawyers.  
Two paint shops.  
Four contractors.  
One bicycle shop.  
Baseball diamond.  
Two ice factories.  
Six music schools.  
One variety store.  
One public library.  
Two wagon works.  
Two planing mills.  
Two racket stores.  
Two lumber yards.  
One marble works.  
Three silversmiths.  
Three wood yards.  
Five dental rooms.  
One express office.  
Free mail delivery.  
Four beef markets.  
Eight barber shops.  
Two public schools.  
Two music houses.  
A telephone system.  
Two haberdasheries.  
Two abstract offices.  
Four pressing clubs.  
Two machine shops.  
Two bottling works.  
Six boarding houses.  
One Catholic church.  
A military company.  
Three jewelry stores.  
One phosphate office.  
One Chinese laundry.  
One Christian church.  
Two steam laundries.  
Two Advent churches.  
One daily newspaper.  
Two hardware stores.

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Fifteen grocery stores.  
Five Baptist churches.  
Three furniture stores.  
One cold storage plant.  
One weekly newspaper.  
Seven dry goods stores.  
Three cold drink stands.  
One electric light plant.  
Three blacksmith shops.  
Three railways systems.  
Eight benevolent orders.  
Two Episcopal churches.  
United States land office.  
One chemical laboratory.  
Thirteen Sunday schools.  
Two veterinary surgeons.  
One Presbyterian church.  
Two cigar manufactories.  
Four real estate agencies.  
Volunteer fire department.  
Several lumber companies.  
Three Methodist churches.  
A brass band organization.  
Two photograph galleries.  
Two moving picture shows.  
One semi-weekly newspaper.  
Five life insurance agencies.  
Two fertilizer manufactories.  
Five fire insurance agencies.  
Two livery and feed stables.  
Florida Winter Chautauqua.  
One crate and basket factory.  
One Elks' Club reading room.  
Agricultural Experiment Station.  
Florida Winter Bible Conference.  
Five dressmaking establishments.  
National Odd Fellows' Sanitarium.  
Three undertaking establishments.  
First-class sewerage system, \$175,000.  
Two of the best hotels in the interior.

Two wholesale grain and feed stores.  
Two wholesale grocery establishments.

Water "that has made Gainesville famous."

The finest opera house in the State outside of Jacksonville.

A Government building soon to be erected to cost when completed \$100,000.

Carpenters, masons, plasterers, painters, printers, machinists and laboring men galore.

More miles of paved streets and granolithic sidewalks than any other town in the interior of the State.

An \$85,000 court house built of brick and stone—a beautiful structure—and the lawns, flower beds, shrubbery, Confederate monument, etc., surrounding it, make it a most attractive picture.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

### State Officers:

Governor—A. W. Gilchrist, Tallahassee.

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Attorney-General—Park M. Trammell, Tallahassee.

Commissioner of Agriculture—B. E. McLin, Tallahassee.

Supt. of Public Instruction—Wm. M. Holloway, Tallahassee.

President of the Senate—Hunt W. Harris, Key West.

### County Officers:

Clerk and Auditor—S. H. Wienges, Gainesville.

Supt. Public Instruction—Dr. J. L. Kelley, Gainesville.

Sheriff—P. G. Ramsey, Gainesville.

County Judge—H. G. Mason, Gainesville.

Tax Assessor—W. W. Colson, Gainesville.

Tax Collector—W. D. Dickinson, Gainesville.

Treasurer—J. D. Matheson, Gainesville.

Supervisor Registration—J. C. McGrew, Gainesville.

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Members School Board—R. B. Weeks, Chairman, Hawthorn; J. W. Moody, LaCrosse; G. W. Miller, Trenton.

State Senator—H. H. McCreary, Gainesville.

Members House—Syd L. Carter, Gainesville; T. A. Doke, Santa Fe.

### City Officers:

Mayor—Horatio Davis.

Marshal—B. T. Arnow.

Tax Assessor—B. R. Colson.

Tax Collector—T. B. Ellis, Sr.

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City Attorney—W. S. Broome.

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Secure a tenant for that vacant room through a classified ad. in The Sun.

If you have found anything see if it is advertised in the Want column.

# THE BUSH & SAFFORD PIANO CONTEST

In Which a Resident of Alachua County Will be Awarded a Beautiful Howard Piano, and 18 Certificates Valued at \$3,150.00 Furnished by The Bush & Safford Piano Co., Sole Representatives of The R. S. Howard Co. of Miami, The Contest to be Conducted by THE SUN in Behalf of Bush & Safford. : : : :

## \$3,550.00

One \$400.00 HOWARD Piano will be given to the person residing in the County of Alachua who receives the highest number of votes between December 15th, 1908, and 10 p. m. April 15th, 1909 : : : : : : : : : :

## Additional Gifts

In addition to the Piano there will be issued by The Bush & Safford Piano Co., on a new \$400 Howard Piano, eighteen Transferable Due Bills, same to be used as a first or initial payment on a new Howard Piano. These due bills will be given in this voting contest as follows, to persons residing in Alachua County:

To the first six receiving the next to the highest vote, a due bill for each for ..... \$200.00

To the second six receiving the next highest vote, a due bill for each for ..... \$175.00

To the next six receiving the next highest vote, a due bill for each for ..... \$150.00

These due bills may be used by the winners or can be disposed of to anyone for any value they may see fit, and will be worth their face value upon the purchase of one of these new pianos.

In the event of a tie for any prize offered, a prize similar in all respects there to will be given each of those tying.

## How and Where to Get Votes

The following merchants will give one vote for every cent paid into their establishments for goods which they handle:

The Gainesville Hardware Co.  
Phifer Bros.  
Hyde & Tench.

## Where Votes May Be Cast

Ballot boxes will be found in the establishments of the merchants giving votes and at The Sun office. Votes sent by mail must be directed to the Voting Contest Department of The Sun, Gainesville, Florida.

## Rules and Regulations

1. The contest is open to anyone living in Alachua county who is known by the conductors of the contest or vouched for by some reputable person, to them well known.

2. No employee, attaché or relative of the proprietors of the above-named firms are eligible to participate in this contest, and will participate in no manner.

3. In the event of a misunderstanding between candidates or others interested in this contest, such controversy may be referred to the conductors of contest, who alone are the persons qualified to render decisions.

4. In the event a candidate decides to withdraw from the race, such candidate will not be allowed to transfer votes to the credit of another candidate in the contest.

## THE DAILY SUN

	Old Subscribers	New Subscribers
\$1.25—Three months' subscription .....	400 votes	500 votes
\$2.50—Six months' subscription .....	1,000 votes	1,200 votes
\$5.00—One year's subscription .....	3,000 votes	3,500 votes
For a club of five one-year subscriptions (before April 1, 1909) .....	25,000 votes	30,000 votes
For a club of ten six-months' subscriptions (before April 1) .....	25,000 votes	30,000 votes

There is no limit to the number of clubs each contestant may secure.

## THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN

\$1.00—One year's subscription .....	400 votes
For a club of five one-year subscriptions .....	4,000 votes

There is no limit to the number of clubs each contestant may secure.

Soliciting votes by candidates or friends within the stores

distributing votes is undesired by the proprietors



## FROM NEW YORK TO CUBA IN PARLOR CAR

WILL BE POPULAR TRIP FOR  
TOURISTS IN YEAR 1910.

The West Extension of East Coast  
Railway Will Be Completed Next  
Year, It Is Expected.

NEW YORK, Feb. 10.—When the  
West extension of the Florida  
East Coast railway, work on which is  
being pushed rapidly, is completed  
its present terminus at Knight's  
Key dock and Henry M. Flagler, own-  
er of the road, is able to carry out  
his long-cherished intention of ferrying  
passengers from Key West to Havana, pas-  
sengers will be able to enter a parlor  
car from New York or Chicago and upon  
leaving it step off on Cuban soil.

It is planned to have trains running  
through to Key West in time for Mr.  
Flagler to ride over the line on his  
birthday in January, 1910. If  
the ferry takes the trains across the  
Florida straits to Havana from Key  
West it is estimated that the time be-  
tween New York and the capital of  
the new island republic will be fifty  
hours. At present the time between  
the two cities via steamers sailing  
from Knight's Key dock is fifty-two  
hours, ten minutes.

### A Costly Undertaking.

Part of the road yet to be con-  
structed between Knight's Key dock  
and Key West will cost more per mile  
than any railroad heretofore built.  
It is longer than any yet used on  
the unique railroad, running as it  
does for many miles over the water,  
will be required. From Knight's Key  
dock to Key West the distance is  
fifty-five miles. For twenty-five miles  
of this distance a great part of the  
work has been partially completed.  
At both ends of the gap and on the  
line between work is going forward  
with great vigor. In addition to the  
large number of men already at work  
on the camps along the line, thousands  
of laborers are being rushed South by  
rail and boat in order to complete  
the extension during the present year.

### Towns Springing Up.

Towns are springing up rapidly on  
the keys along the line, the latest one  
being Marathon, in which the terminal  
part of the extension have been tem-

porarily located. New families are  
arriving there each week. It is the  
headquarters of the construction and  
operating department.

The construction work has been di-  
vided up into sections and the engi-  
neers, it is said, are trying to outdo  
each other in accomplishing results.  
The first section at Knight's Key is  
under way. The second and third sec-  
tions, with headquarters at Pigeon  
bay, are pushing the work on each side  
of the island, one in one direction,  
the other in the opposite. There are  
camps at Duck Key, at both ends of  
Bahia Honda and at the Spanish har-  
bor keys. Between the Spanish har-  
bor and Pine Key the dredges have  
about completed a 1,100-foot fill out  
to the channel, across which a trestle  
will be built. Long Key is now head-  
quarters for the tourists who go that  
far South to see the extension work.  
The improvements there are nearing  
completion and the entire force short-  
ly will be moved southward.

Ninety miles of water lie between  
Key West and Havana, but after leav-  
ing the mainland at the southern ex-  
tremity of Florida trains will run over  
the water on long concrete viaduct  
bridges stretching from key to key  
for an even greater distance to Key  
West.

### Baby Hands

Will get into mischief—often it  
means a burn or cut or scald. Apply  
Ballard's Snow Liniment just as soon  
as the accident happens, and the pain  
will be relieved, while the wound will  
heal quickly and nicely. A sure cure  
for sprains, rheumatism and all pains.  
Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Sold  
by W. M. Johnson.

### How to Settle Bills.

There is a young Harlem matron  
whose mental equilibrium is upset the  
first of each month by the prospect of  
letting her husband see the size of the  
bills that come in for food, drink and  
for her own personal adornment. Her  
four-year-old daughter offered her a  
valuable suggestion the other day as  
to the simplest means of settling bills.

The small child, seeing her mother  
examining with a clouded brow a bit  
of paper, inquired:

"Is it a nice letter, mamma?"

"No; it's a nasty big bill, dearie."

The child's bright eyes closed as if  
she were searching her innermost soul  
for some word of comfort. Suddenly  
she flashed a glad look at her mother,  
and her voice had all the brilliancy of  
one voicing an inspiration:

"Mamma, jes' tear it up. Then you  
don't have to pay it."—New York Press

### Worn Out.

That's the way you feel about the  
lungs when you have a hacking cough.  
It's foolishness to let it go on and  
trust to luck to get over it, when Bal-  
lard's Horehound Syrup will stop the  
cough and heal the lungs. Price 25c,  
50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W.  
M. Johnson.

### Willing He Should Know.

A certain boastful man asserts that  
he knows how to play on two cornets  
at once, and the neighbors say that  
they do not object to his knowing how,  
but that he had better not try to do it.

To feel strong, have good appetite  
and digestion, sleep soundly and en-  
joy life, use Burdock Blood Bitters, the  
great system tonic and builder.

## Afraid of Ghosts

Many people are afraid of ghosts. Few people  
are afraid of germs. Yet the ghost is a fancy and  
the germ is a fact. If the germ could be magnified  
to a size equal to its terrors it would appear more  
terrible than any fire-breathing dragon. Germs  
can't be avoided. They are in the air we breathe,  
the water we drink.

The germ can only prosper when the condition  
of the system gives it free scope to establish it-  
self and develop. When there is a deficiency of  
vital force, languor, restlessness, a hollow cheek,  
a hollow eye, when the appetite is poor and the  
sleep is broken, it is time to guard against the germ. You can  
fortify the body against all germs by the use of Dr. Pierce's Gold-  
en Medical Discovery. It increases the vital power, cleanses the  
system of clogging impurities, enriches the blood, puts the stom-  
ach and organs of digestion and nutrition in working condition, so  
that the germ finds no weak or tainted spot in which to breed.  
"Golden Medical Discovery" contains no alcohol, whisky or  
habit-forming drugs. All its ingredients printed on its outside  
wrapper. It is not a secret nostrum but a medicine of known  
composition and with a record of 40 years of cures. Accept no  
substitute—there is nothing "just as good." Ask your neighbors.



## CHINA'S GRAND CANAL

Sometimes It Holds Water Enough to  
Float the Boats.

Of some of the crude and outgrown  
methods used on China's Grand canal  
a writer in the North China Daily  
News remarks: "The junction of the  
real canal with the Wei river was not  
by means of a lock, but simply a high  
and steeply sloping mud bank, over  
which the grain vessels had to be  
dragged by the force of perhaps many  
hundreds of men. It should be borne  
in mind that in China the lock of a  
canal is not much more like our idea  
of what that name connotes than it is  
like a padlock. Amid constant and  
often serious changes of level, with an  
uncertain and not infrequently a  
scanty supply of water, and with a  
grain fleet which traveled in blocks of  
some eighty vessels under one officer,  
it was necessary to devise some way  
for keeping them together and for  
transferring them as a consolidated  
unit with this in view.

"For this reason a Chinese lock on  
the Grand canal is nothing but a stone  
gateway into which large boards may  
be lowered through a groove in the  
stones, restraining most of the water  
from its flow, until there is a depth  
sufficient to float all the craft, when  
the boards are pulled up and the en-  
tire fleet passes through.

"After this the boards are again  
lowered for another division of the  
grain boats. In case the water gives  
out—a by no means unlikely occur-  
rence—there is nothing to do but to  
wait until more comes from some-  
where."

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Signature of *Charles H. Fletcher*

### To What Base Uses, Etc.

One of our State street brokers re-  
ceived a note from a customer bear-  
ing the cryptic message, "Richard III.,  
act 1, line 138." Turning to the pas-  
sage he read, "Now, by St. Paul!" and  
next moment he had given the order.—  
Boston Transcript.

### Useless Prayers.

An earnest young preacher in a re-  
mote country village concluded a long  
and comprehensive supplication by say-  
ing, "And now let us pray for those  
who are dwelling in the uninhabited  
portions of the earth."

### Puzzled.

Mrs. Gaswell—Who is that man who  
looked at you as if he knew you? Mrs.  
Highsome—He is a man who has done  
some professional work for me once  
or twice. He's a chiropodist. Mrs.  
Gaswell—Chiropodist? Oh, yes; I've  
heard of them. They don't believe in  
foreordination, do they?—Chicago Trib-  
une.

### Tax Notice.

In pursuance of Chapter No. 4115,  
Section 35, Laws of Florida, I give be-  
low a statement showing the amount  
of taxes collected by W. D. Dickinson,  
tax collector of Alachua county, Flori-  
da, for the period ending Jan. 30,  
1909, as shown by county treasurer's  
receipts on file in my office, to-wit:

TAX ROLL 1908	
Licenses	\$ 128 25
Road Fund	1097 46
Road Fund, Spec.	1, \$ 11 45
	2, 140 52
School Fund	1920 55
School Fund, Special Districts	536 67
School Polls, 1907	8 00
School Polls, 1908	347 00
Total	\$4199 90

S. H. WIENGER,  
Clerk Circuit Court.

Some article that is simply "in the  
way" at your house might, if adver-  
tised, be sold to someone who is an-  
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Will be sent Free with every order during January.

### WHISKEY—CORN or GIN

Four Full Quarts, Ex-  
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Red Label	\$2.50
Yellow Label	2.75
Blue Label	3.00
Black Label	3.25
White Label	3.50

### BULK WHISKIES

Express Collect

	Per Gallon
Rye Whiskey	\$1.50 to \$3.50
Echo Springs	3.50
L. W. Harper	3.50
Malt Whiskey	\$2 to 4.00
Corn	\$1.50 to 3.00

### BULK WHISKIES

Express Collect

	Per Gal.
Tom Gin	1.50 to 3.00
Cognac, Peach, Apple, Apricot, Blackberry and Banana Bran- dies	\$1.50 to 3.00
Port, Sherry, Catawba and Black- berry Wines	\$1 to 2.50

### BOTTLED WHISKIES

Express Prepaid on Four Quarts

Glen Lily	\$3.20
Jim Buckner Rye	4.00
Echo Springs	5.00
L. W. Harper	5.00
J. E. Pepper	5.00
Duffy's Malt	4.00
American Malt	4.00
Turkey Mountain Corn	3.50
Gopher Gin Tonic	4.00

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NEWS OF CITY AND  
COUNTY CONDENSEDMATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST  
SECURED BY SUN REPORTERS.

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen—Personal and Social Items of the City.

John Thompson. Electric Theatre tonight.

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Get a meal ticket at Rutherford's Restaurant.

R. B. Weeks of Waldo was in the city yesterday on business.

Special attention paid to ladies' table at Rutherford's Restaurant.

Songs, jokes, piano, violin, by John Thompson tonight at Electric Theatre.

A. D. Chamblin, justice of the peace at Archer, was a visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

J. E. Burtz returned yesterday from Polk, where he has been on a short business trip.

Electric Theatre tonight. John Thompson. "Funny Fellows of New York." 25 and 15 cents.

Gus L. Taylor, of the Gainesville Peach Orchard at Palmer, was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

J. M. Holt, Jr., was a visitor to the city from Newberry yesterday. He came over to look after his taxes.

Pink's Chill Tonic is guaranteed to cure chills, fever, colds and lagrippe.

Coke. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Miss Loretta McIlvaine left yesterday for a short visit to DeLand, where she will spend the time with friends.

Conductor Arthur Boring of the Seaboard, with headquarters at Waldo, was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff Bruton went to Dunedin yesterday to take a couple of empty prisoners to the camps of Davis &amp; Co.

Caterling, Knabe, Mathushek, Fisher and Ivers &amp; Pond Pianos and Organ for sale by W. L. Hill. Plans for rent.

Chas. W. Stephens of Alachua, one of the prominent planters of that section, was here yesterday attending to business matters.

Deputy Sheriff G. W. Livingston was among the visitors to the city yesterday. He was en route to Inverness, where he goes after a prisoner.

F. B. Godfrey, cashier of the Bank of Alachua, was in the city yesterday. He states that Alachua is fast becoming a business center and the town is looking ahead.

Mrs. J. E. Walwright left yesterday for DeLand, where she will spend a few days visiting her daughter, one of the teachers in the musical department of that institution.

W. H. DeLand, cashier of the Bank of Alachua, was among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. He reports that little place lively and truckers all day preparing for their spring crops.

W. G. Boltin, proprietor of the Gainesville Coca-Cola Bottling Works, has returned from a pleasant visit of a couple of weeks to his old home in South Carolina. Mrs. Boltin also returned with him.

If you are a trifle sensitive about the size of your shoes, it's some satisfaction to know that many people can wear shoes a size smaller by sprinkling Allen's Foot Powder in them. Just the thing for Dainty Feet. Put on Leather Shoes, and for Fresh Feet in New Shoes. When rubber or overshoes become necessary and your shoes pinch, Allen's Foot Powder gives instant relief. Sold Everywhere. Sample FREE. Address: Allen's Foot Powder, Le Roy, N. Y. Don't accept any

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Niagara Cream  
Paste Silver  
Polish. ....

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PHONE NO. 7

Tonight. Electric Theatre. John Thompson.

Cedar Key oysters, day and night, at Rutherford's Restaurant.

Hartwell and Thurman Kelley of Prairie Creek were shoppers in the city yesterday.

If your purse permits indulge in the best. We offer unexcelled table-board for \$8 per week. The Brown House.

Mrs. M. E. Lynch and Mrs. Row and little son of Alabama are in the city, visiting Major and Mrs. J. W. Tench.

W. L. Hill returned yesterday from a business trip to Alachua and other points in the interest of his piano business.

Mrs. W. T. Gill left yesterday for Alachua, where she will spend the next few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shawl.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chitty, who have been visiting relatives at Micanopy for a short while, returned to their home here yesterday.

Sam Leonard left yesterday for Tampa to accept his new position, after a short visit here to his mother, Mrs. A. H. Leonard.

Boliver Kincaid and W. W. Hampton, Jr., have returned from a short but pleasant visit to Tampa, where they went to take in the sights of the State Fair.

Cabbage crates; sawn slats; two-piece heads—manufacture our usual standard of excellence. Ask our local grocers. Let us book your order. Melton Lumber Co., Micanopy, Fla.

At Auction—Hoffman, the thoroughbred German Coach Stallion, will be sold at auction, to the highest bidder on Saturday, February 20, 1909, at 11 o'clock, in front of Crawford &amp; Davis' stables. A rare chance to get a fine horse cheap. Don't forget the date and time.

Dr. A. E. Cline, veterinary surgeon, has opened offices at Crawford &amp; Davis' stables and solicits a share of the public business. He is a graduate of the Kansas Veterinary College and is here to practice his profession. Calls answered day or night. Horse dentistry, cattle and dogs all receive prompt attention.

BURNETT—SULLIVAN.

Pretty Home Wedding Occurred at Daytona Wednesday Afternoon.

DAYTONA, Feb. 10.—A pretty home wedding was solemnized here today at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Sullivan, when Mr. J. Fletcher Burnett of Gainesville and her daughter, Miss Alma, were united in holy wedlock.

The wedding was a very quiet affair and only a few very intimate friends of the young lady were present to witness the ceremony.

Following the marriage the happy couple received the congratulations and left for their future home in Gainesville.

Both parties are well-known in this city, Miss Sullivan having for some time lived here and made a host of admiring friends who wish her much happiness in her wedded life.

Mr. Burnett was reared in Gainesville and has for several years held a position as salesman in the clothing store of L. J. Burkheim, and he has a host of friends who extend to him their best wishes.

Consumers! Take Notice!

Commencing on Friday morning, and lasting all of the day, all water consumers east of Sweetwater branch will be cut off while the force is engaged in making the connection for the new mains. All parties are requested to save all water they will need during the day.

B. F. MILLER, Supt.

W. M. Gist, an extensive trucker of McIntosh, was among the business visitors to the city yesterday.

"Funny Fellows of New York," by John Thompson, at the Electric Theatre tonight. 25 and 15 cents.

The Lyman Twins in their big musical comedy, "The Yankee Drummers," at the Baird Theatre tomorrow night.

R. E. L. Robinson left yesterday for points in the southern part of the State, to look after his duties as road supervisor of the A. C. L.

Twenty-five cents is all it will cost to see and hear the "Funny Fellows of New York," by John Thompson at the Electric Theatre tonight.

Mrs. J. M. Rivers and little son left yesterday for Santa Fe, where they will spend a few days visiting Mrs. Rivers' parents, Hon. and Mrs. W. M. Blitch.

Cures baby's croup, Willie's daily cuts and bruises, mama's sore throat, grandma's lameness—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—the greatest household remedy.

T. J. Cone of Raleigh was a visitor to the city Wednesday. He has again resumed operations at his mill and is shipping a good many orders of lumber at the present time.

F. M. Wilson of Wade was in the city yesterday. He came for the purpose of bringing Bob Cook, a crazy negro, who had only recently been released from the State institution.

Dr. A. E. Cline, the veterinary surgeon, has returned from Otter Creek and Alcedith, where he went on professional business. At the former place he performed three operations.

The magnificent Everett-Grand piano that was used by the Bible Conference in the Tabernacle is for sale at a bargain. Apply to A. R. Harper Piano Co., 106 Main street, Jacksonville, Fla.

H. Cohen, the gentlemanly representative of Henry Froelich &amp; Co., was among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. He is a brother of Mrs. J. F. McKinstry, Jr., and while here enjoyed a drive over the city.

Water Consumers—East Gainesville water consumers will please draw all water required for their use on Thursday night, as the main running to that section for the city will be cut off early Friday morning while making new connections. B. F. Miller, Supt.

I have secured the agency for the celebrated Williams piano and consider it one of the best instruments for the price in the country. Case solid mahogany. A fine \$17 stool free. Call at residence at 208 North Arredondo street and see the instrument. Miss Alice Thomas.

Attention is directed to the change in the advertisement of Davis &amp; Oliver, the liverymen. They have received their second car of stock, which they claim is better than the one which was disposed of only a couple of weeks ago, and desire that all intending purchasers call and see what they have to offer.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

## The Gainesville National Bank

Condensed from Report to the Comptroller at the Close of Business Friday, Feb. 5th, 1909

## RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts .....	\$320,409 83
Overdrafts .....	292 55
Building and Fixtures .....	39,732 63
United States Bonds and Premiums .....	170,976 98
County Bonds and Warrants .....	19,480 00
Cash and Sight Exchange .....	103,644 53

Total..... \$654,536 52

## LIABILITIES

Capital Stock .....	\$100,000 00
Surplus and Undivided Profits .....	17,938 09
Circulating Notes Outstanding .....	97,600 00
Bonds Borrowed .....	29,000 00
Rediscounts .....	31,450 00
United States Deposits .....	40,000 00
Individual and Bank Deposits .....	338,548 43

Total..... \$654,536 52

I, C. A. Faircloth, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. A. FAIRCLOTH, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this, the 9th day of February, 1909.

W. H. ANDERSON, Jr., Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: M. H. DePass, W. R. Steckert, T. W. Shands, Directors.

..WANTS..



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PER LINE

Each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents. Six words make a line; no fractional lines, every word over each six counting as an additional line. CASH in advance must accompany all orders for insertions in this column.

## WANTED.

WANTED—Messenger boy. Apply at Western Union Telegraph office.

## LOST.

LOST—Back comb with pearl settings. Return to East Florida Telephone Exchange and receive reward.

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Five-room cottage. Apply 200 E. Liberty street.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, modern conveniences. Apply 501 East Seminary street.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Good gentle horse and nice rubber-tired buggy. Apply P. O. Box No. 276.

FOR SALE—Very prolific variety Sea Island cotton seed direct from Islands of South Carolina. James Chesnut, Gainesville, Fla., Box. 346.



Gainesville Lodge No. 990, B. P. O. E.—Meets tonight at 7:30 o'clock in Elks' home. Visiting brothers cordially welcomed. R. E. Davis, E. R.; J. M. Dell, Jr., Secretary.



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## THE FIVE O'CLOCK TEA

Is absolutely out of the question as a social function unless the tableware is faultless. Our mission is to supply the tableware—that is, the china and porcelain portion of it. Attractive designs, perfectly-made cups, saucers, etc., are here. We invite inspection.

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FEB'Y. 12

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THE MERRY MUSICAL SHOW  
With a Real Story"THE YANKEE  
DRUMMERS"A Pretty Chorus! Beautiful Costumes!  
Gorgeous Settings!

ALL FUN AND MUSIC!

PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Seats on sale Thursday at Miller's.

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To become identified with this bank. Your financial matters require the Careful, Consistent attention which this bank's officers give to its customers. Your business will be managed conservatively and in strict confidence.

## THE DUTTON BANK

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Lee Graham, Asst. Cashier



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GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1909

ONE DOLLAR A YEAR

## YOUNG GIRL BRUTALLY ASSAULTED BY NEGRO

While On Her Way to School From Her Country Home to Lakeland.

LAKELAND, Fla., Feb. 10.—This since was the scene of great excitement Tuesday because of the dastardly assault of a burly negro upon Miss Irma Newell, the attractive 16-year-old daughter of Mr. George W. Newell, who resides three miles north of town. The young lady was en route to school about 8 o'clock yesterday morning and when about half-way to this city a negro brute sprang from the palm-trees near the road, and, seizing her, threw her to the ground, choking her into silence, while he attempted to accomplish his fiendish purpose. In the latter respect he was not successful.

The young lady, suffering great agony and half dead from fright, started for this city, when she was met by Mr. G. B. Murrell, who took her in his buggy and hurried her to the office of Dr. Henley, where a hurried examination of her injuries was made. They were fortunately found to be slight, and with a good description of the negro given by the girl, every

man who could secure a conveyance was hastening to the scene with guns. Telephone connection was made at once with the sheriff's office at Bartow and also with Plant City, and bloodhounds from both places were hurried here in automobiles. Mr. Paramore of Plant City arrived with his bloodhounds at 10 o'clock and hundreds of men have hurried to the scene. Sheriff Logan arrived a few minutes later and with the county bloodhounds and hundreds of excited citizens have repaired to the scene and the hounds put on the trail.

A telephone message was received by The Sun last night that a negro suspected of the dastardly assault had been captured and placed in jail at Lakeland, and that armed men were guarding the jail to prevent the sheriff from removing the prisoner pending his identification. If he is positively identified by the young lady there is no doubt as to what will be done with him.

## Daughters of Confederacy Called in Extra Session

AUGUSTA, Ga., Feb. 10.—Much interest is centered in the call for the extra session of the United Daughters of the Confederacy in Atlanta March 11, for the purpose of reconsidering the action of the Savannah convention in ordering the Wier monument placed at Richmond.

Those in favor of Richmond as the site for the monument oppose the extra session; they claim that Richmond won by a legal procedure as ever decided any question and that the setting aside of a decision reached in regular session is unconstitutional. They recognize the claim of no Georgia city, except Andersonville, and this site is not advocated because it is in Georgia but because it was here that Wier's duties for the Confederacy were performed. Since he did not serve the State of Georgia but the entire Confederacy, they feel that the shaft would lose its significance if placed anywhere but at Andersonville or Richmond, the "Westminster of the Confederacy."

When the convention assembles they will insist that the monument be placed in Richmond, but in the event of Richmond's losing they will cast their votes for Andersonville.

## What Was Transpiring in Gainesville in 1876

(Gainesville Times, July 6, 1876—E. M. Hampton, Editor.)

R. M. Smith has nearly completed his residence, a large two-story building and a very creditable addition to the city.

A large fine dwelling house, the property of our mayor, S. J. Burnett, is just being completed, and in a short while will be ready for use.

The marshal has commenced having the plentiful crop of weeds around the square cut down; would it not be a good idea to have them removed from the corporate limits?

The large new store being erected by Matheson & Co. will be the largest and most creditable building of the kind in town.

Mr. J. B. Brown, our delegate to the St. Louis convention, returned on Tuesday.

Mrs. B. C. Drake, editress of The Citizen, arrived on Tuesday, direct from the Centennial Exposition.

Mr. R. H. Snowden has painted his drug store, which adds considerably to the looks of the place.

Mr. F. X. Miller for that fine watermelon.

Mr. R. R. Snowden has purchased the drug store of J. F. McKinstry & Co.

Our colored population turned out in force on Tuesday to show their appreciation of the "glorious fourth" and its centennial privileges; a grand parade through the streets headed by the brass band, and thence on to the picnic grounds, where the day was spent, were the principal demonstrations. At night the same party gathered at the colored academy, and after exercises by the pupils, the rival politicians, Walls and Dennis, addressed the meeting.

New buildings are being erected in almost every portion of town; this fact alone speaks volumes for the enterprise and future of the place.

We are pleased to welcome in our midst once more Mr. J. M. Endel, son of our enterprising merchant, M. Endel. Mr. E. has been to the Centennial, and gives a very interesting account of the exhibition.

## MANY DUELS FOUGHT IN SPANISH PLAZA

PENSACOLA'S PRESENT BEAUTIFUL PARK HISTORIC SPOT.

Has Witnessed Change of Five Different Flags—Gen. Jackson Received Surrender of English There.

PENSACOLA, Fla., Feb. 10.—One of the most historic spots in all the Southland is the Plaza, or public square, at Pensacola. Laid out by the Spaniards during one of the Castilian occupancies of the Deep Water City, the Plaza was named Ferdinand VII in honor of the Spanish monarch who resigned at the period of its dedication, as a playground for the use of the then inhabitants of Pensacola.

Since then it has continued to exist undisturbed by five successive changes of flags over the territory now forming the State of Florida. First Spanish, the territory was captured by the French and for a time was a part of the dominion of France in the western world. After a few years of French occupancy it was recaptured by the Spanish and so remained until its capture by the English during the seventies of the eighteenth century. Under this English regime, which lasted until 1781, when the Spanish under Galvez restored the territory to the crown of Spain, the Pensacola of today was surveyed and mapped, and the Plaza permanently dedicated to its present purpose as a central playground and beauty spot of the city for all time.

Famous Duelling Ground.

From 1781 until 1819, when the territory of Florida was ceded to the United States by Spain, Pensacola continued an "uninterrupted existence as a Spanish province and the Plaza was regarded as the central congregating place for the inhabitants. It was also the favorite duelling ground for the young Spanish dons of those romantic days, and tradition says that almost innumerable questions of honor have been adjusted under the code within its historic enclosure. This, however, is merely traditional, but it is an historical fact that near the present northeast entrance of the Plaza General Andrew Jackson ("Old Hickory") received the surrender of the English forces in 1814, the old Tennessee warrior having walked to that spot from his headquarters, which were located in the old building in DeLuna street, recently vacated by the Pensacola Chamber of Commerce, for the purpose of receiving the Englishman's surrender of the War of 1812.

For years the Plaza was neglected, little or nothing having been done toward its beautification. Indeed, for a number of years it was the dumping ground for thousands of loads of street sweepings and gutter garbage.

A Beautiful Place.

Ten years ago, however, its susceptibilities for transformation into one of the entire South's most beautiful public parks dawned upon Pensacola and its improvement was commenced by placing a handsome granite monument in its center dedicated to West Florida's and Pensacola's pioneer in development, the lamented W. D. Chipley. This was followed by a substantial granite coping and cement walks around all four of its sides, together with other improvements. But not until within the past year and a half has any systematically directed effort been made toward its permanent beautification. This was done when the city council made provision less than two years ago for a systematic crusade of city park improvements. A commission was created and provided with funds and an experienced landscape gardener was secured and given carte blanche to make a flower garden of the Plaza. The result is that it has been transformed from an unkempt neglected site to a beautiful spot.

## BODY OF MISSING MAN UNEARTHED AT TAMPA

Identified as B. LaBella, a Wealthy New York Broker in Italian Imports.

TAMPA, Fla., Feb. 10.—A horrible find was made by a farmer at noon Tuesday about a mile southwest of the dam on the Hillsborough river. He was hunting for some of his strayed hogs, and smelling an odor as if of decaying flesh emanating from a newly-made mound of earth, went to it and commenced to dig, expecting to find a missing hog, which he supposed someone had killed and buried portions of. He was horrified to strike with his hand a man's leg embedded in the sand. He without further disturbing the earth, sought assistance through telephone messages, and Deputy Sheriff W. C. Spencer was soon on the scene. The deputy at once notified Justice Lee Gibson, who, acting as coroner, summoned a jury, and had the body exhumed in the jury-men's presence, when it was found that a man well-dressed and evidently a Cuban or Italian, had been the victim of foul murder, and then deposited in a shallow grave after having been dealt heavy blows over the head with some implement, the body giving evidence from the pools of clotted blood around it of having been put under ground while the wounds were still flowing with the crimson life-giving fluid.

Stylishly Dressed.

The body was dressed in a stylish

brown suit of clothes of fine texture and was evidently that of well-to-do man of the Latin race. The sheriff's office will so far give out no information as to who the man is, though Deputy Sheriff Spencer, who has been diligently working on the case, says that there is a very tangible clue to the identity of the murderer, and nothing can be said further until he is in the hands of the law. The coroner's jury adjourned without taking any evidence to allow the officers to secure evidence, which is considered important in the inquest.

Body Identified.

The body was later identified as that of B. LaBella, a wealthy New York broker in Italian imports, who has been visiting here. An Italian named Valente, with whom the murdered man boarded, and Onafario Caarmente, an Italian peddler, of West Tampa, have been lodged in jail on suspicion of knowing about the killing. Both deny any knowledge of it. The body was stripped of valuables, and robbery was evidently the motive for the crime.

The want ads. do more real estate business than all other brokers combined—in fact, they "start" most of the business that the brokers and agents finish.

## Richard Cooley Is Told He Must Leave the State

PENSACOLA, Fla., Feb. 10.—Told to leave the State within seven days or else he would be brought before the court for sentence, the term of which was not announced, Richard Cooley, a young man who, up to within a few years ago, bore a good reputation, yesterday walked from the criminal court room, where he had entered a plea of guilty to the larceny of a case of whiskey. That his presence in Pensacola or for that matter the entire State of Florida, is not desired, was shown by the language of the judge in

passing sentence, and Cooley promised to leave the State within the prescribed time, never to return. At the same time another young man, who formerly bore a good reputation, and who is of good family, was sentenced. Robert Crockett, who was with Cooley when the theft was committed, also pleaded guilty, and he was told never to touch another drop of whiskey. Sentence was suspended upon this condition, and if it is violated he will be arrested and held awaiting sentence upon the charge of which he entered a plea of guilty.

## Senator Tillman Wins His Fight Against Dr. Crum

WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—Senator Frye yesterday abandoned his efforts to have the nomination of W. D. Crum, the negro, reappointed as collector of customs at Charleston, S. C., confirmed at the present session.

After the doors of the Senate were closed, he asked the Democrats to

agree to permit the Crum nomination to come to a vote on March 1. Failing to obtain the agreement, he said:

"Very well, I will withdraw the nomination for the present."

It is understood by Senate leaders that the case will not be again considered at the present session.

of the most attractive city parks in all the country, which will prove a boon as an open-air resting place, as well as a point of vantage from which to witness the Mardi Gras parade to the thousands of carnival visitors who will throng Pensacola during the carnival February 22 and 23.

WALDO NOTES.

WALDO, Feb. 10.—W. D. Finlayson & Co. have moved to the Strickland brick block for more room for their increasing trade.

Rev. T. L. Z. Barr, has a daughter very ill.

Dr. J. M. Boring has returned from Atlanta and resumed practice, as Dr. Pierce is to locate elsewhere.

Chris. Neal is quite ill at his home, a few miles away.

Mr. Scarborough, having covered a part of his strawberries, is marketing right along.

There is a prospect of a feed store being opened in our town.

As advertising finds the best market for everything else, why not for you?



## SHOOTING EXHIBITION MONDAY AFTERNOON

W. C. CO. REPRESENTATIVE  
SHOWS UP RARE WORK.

Gun Club Organized Here as Result  
of His Efforts—Tison and Handy  
Prove Good.

From Tuesday's Daily Sun:

Our citizens were entertained on Monday afternoon by a novel and unique exhibition of shooting by E. R. Holt, traveling representative for the Western Cartridge Company, for whom the Gainesville Hardware Company are the wholesale agents.

The entire affair was an impromptu one and free for all who cared to look on or participate. Mr. Holt wired Jacksonville for a barrel of blue rock targets, secured the use of a trap, and had all necessary arrangements made at his own expense, and then furnished the shells free for all who would shoot, about thirty taking advantage of the offer. The shooting of the locals proved highly satisfactory, considering that they have not shot at targets in the past two years, and a good many of the number never at all. The best scores were made by W. H. Tison and C. J. Handy, ten each, Maxey Dell and Robert Davis nine each, Joe Eitel and a few others eight each.

Mr. Holt then gave a demonstration of his shooting, which he has not attempted before for several years. He broke the targets laying on his back and shooting with his feet; he kept the same position and broke them shooting back over his head, hung by the legs from a horizontal bar and broke doubles. He used an automatic gun and broke four targets along into the air simultaneously. He batted a rubber ball into the air with the butt of his gun and shot it five times before it fell to the ground. He broke targets shooting from his hip and then kicked a can into the air and shot it all to pieces without raising his gun, and performed numerous other feats. After this exhibition he broke 72 out of 75 targets, 59 of them being straight.

After the shooting the crowd adjourned to meet at the Brown House in the evening for the purpose of organizing a gun club. Dr. J. H. Alderman was chosen president and Tom Stevens secretary of the club.

Mr. Holt asked all the spectators to come out and see the treat in store for them from the representatives of the U. M. C. Company who will be here on next Friday, and spoke in the highest terms of Miss Oakley and the one-armed wonder, Mr. Maxwell.

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Suffered Terribly from Eczema which Made Hands and Feet Swell, Peel and Get Raw—Arms Affected, Too—Gave Up Hope of Cure.

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"I suffered from eczema on my hands, arms and feet for about twelve years, my hands and feet would swell, sweat and itch, then would become callous and get very dry, then peel off and get raw. I tried most every kind of salve and ointment without success, only got temporary relief. As soon as I would leave off using them I would be as bad as ever. I tried several doctors, took arsenic for two years and at last gave up thinking there was a cure for eczema. A friend of mine insisted on my trying the Cuticura Remedies but, supposing they were the same as other 'cures' I had tried, I did not give them a trial until I got so bad that I had to do something. I secured a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and a bottle of Cuticura Resolvent and by the time they were used I could see a vast improvement and my hands and feet were healed up in no time. I used several bottles of Cuticura Resolvent. This was over a year ago and have had no trouble since. I think I am entirely cured. Charles T. Bauer, R.F.D. 65, Volant, Pa., Mar. 11, 1908."

## BABIES CURED Of Torturing, Disfiguring Humors by Cuticura.

The suffering which Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment have alleviated among skin-tortured, disfigured infants and children, and the comfort they have afforded worn-out and worried parents have led to their adoption in countless homes as a priceless treatment for the skin and blood. Eczema, rashes, and every form of itching, scaly humor are speedily cured, in the majority of cases, when all else fails.

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## STANFORD HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE

MR. STANFORD WAS PAINFULLY  
BURNED SAVING FAMILY.

Handsome Live Oak Residence Was  
Valued at Three Thousand Dol-  
lars—Partly Insured.

LIVE OAK, Feb. 8.—Mr. J. I. Stanford's dwelling, in the western part of the city, was destroyed by fire at 3 o'clock this morning. The fire had gained such headway before discovered that it was with difficulty that Mr. Stanford succeeded in saving his family, and in doing so he was painfully burned on his hands and arms.

A part of the household goods and wearing apparel were saved. Loss is estimated at \$3,000, with \$1,000 insurance on the building and \$500 on furniture.

## Death of Miss Shepard.

From Tuesday's Daily Sun:

Lessie, the fourteen-year-old daughter of S. F. Shepard, died last night after an illness of about two weeks, the cause of death being typhoid pneumonia.

The funeral will occur this afternoon from the First Baptist church.

## Baby Hands

Will get into mischief—often it means a burn or cut or scald. Apply Ballard's Snow Liniment just as soon as the accident happens, and the pain will be relieved, while the wound will heal quickly and nicely. A sure cure for sprains, rheumatism and all pains. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

## Freaks of the Cold.

It is a noticeable fact that damage by the cold weather of last week was much less on the T. & J. railway between Gainesville and Micanopy than between the latter place and Fairfield.

Foley's Honey and Tar clears the air passages, stops the irritation in the throat, soothes the inflamed membranes, and the most obstinate cough disappears. Sore and inflamed lungs are healed and strengthened, and the cold is expelled from the system. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. J. W. McCollum & Co.

## THE NEW GUN CLUB IS DOWN TO WORK

MEMBERSHIP FROM CITY COM-  
POSED OF BEST SHOTS.

Will Prove Great Source of Enjoyment  
for Members During the Dull  
Summer Months.

From Wednesday's Daily Sun:

Gainesville is to again have a gun club, and while the preliminary arrangements of organizing have already been perfected the different members are active in securing new material for the club.

A special committee has been selected by Dr. J. H. Alderman, president of the club, who will look out for this new material to come into the club, which is now fully organized.

Already some letters have been turned over to the club from other places inviting them to participate in a shoot, and probably the club will have become proficient enough to engage in the first one, which will occur at Leesburg sometime during March.

The membership comprising the club is composed of some of the leading citizens of the city, and while there are a large number of expert shots among the list there are many who are only moderate marksmen and simply joined to lend enthusiasm and at the same time have the opportunity to use the club at any time they desire.

There will be no monthly dues, but a certain sum will be paid into the club on joining, and this is supposed to run the expenses for one year, which will be repeated annually, and allow them money in the treasury at all times.

It is proposed to have two good squads from the club, which will keep interest up at all times, and especially during the weary summer months.

## Kirkwood Depot Not Destroyed.

The statement published in The Sun of February 7th that the depot at Kirkwood had been destroyed by fire on Friday night previous was an error. The fire caught on the roof of the building but was extinguished before any damage was done.

## Six Nights "Go as You Please" Race.

How many tired fathers and mothers in this town enter this race every night carrying a baby? And they wonder what the matter is. Chances are the child is starving—worms are eating all of its food. Most children have worms—yours needn't. White's Cream Vermifuge will get rid of the worms and strengthen the child. Price 25 cents per bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

## WHEEZER OR SNEEZER?

Have You Heard of Hyomei for Catarrh, Asthma and Hay Fever.

If you wheeze or sneeze, hawk or spit, snuffle or blow, something is the matter with the membrane of your respiratory tract, and you need Hyomei.

And you need Hyomei because it will cure you of any catarrhal or inflammatory condition that exists.

It isn't a stomach medicine, or spray, or douche, but a very pleasant, healing, antiseptic balsam, from the eucalyptus forests of Australia. You breathe this balsam air through a small, hardy rubber inhaler, and it reaches every nook, corner and crevice of the membrane, and promptly kills the catarrh germs.

J. W. McCollum & Co. will sell you a complete Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) outfit for \$1.00, on the money-back plan.

"The use of Hyomei cured Mr. Cutler of catarrh in 1904. He has strongly endorsed the use of Hyomei in many instances, and we are glad to go on record regarding this marvelous catarrh cure and endorsing its use."—Mrs. A. Cutler, 201 Post avenue, Battle Creek, Mich., Oct. 12, 1908.

## MI-ONA Cures Dyspepsia.

Your money back if it don't. Gives immediate relief from heartburn, sour stomach, stomach distress and sick headache. 50 cents a large box at

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## STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF

## The Gainesville National Bank

Condensed from Report to the Comptroller at the  
Close of Business Friday, Feb. 5th, 1909

## RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts .....	\$320,409 83
Overdrafts .....	292 55
Building and Fixtures .....	39,732 63
United States Bonds and Premiums .....	170,976 98
County Bonds and Warrants .....	19,480 00
Cash and Sight Exchange .....	103,644 53

Total..... \$654,536 52

## LIABILITIES

Capital Stock .....	\$100,000 00
Surplus and Undivided Profits .....	17,938 09
Circulating Notes Outstanding .....	97,600 00
Bonds Borrowed .....	29,000 00
Rediscounts .....	31,450 00
United States Deposits .....	40,000 00
Individual and Bank Deposits .....	338,548 43

Total..... \$654,536 52

I, C. A. Faircloth, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this, the 9th day of February, 1909.  
W. H. ANDERSON, Jr., Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: M. H. DePass, W. R. Steckert, T. W. Shands, Directors.

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REGULAR MEETING  
OF COMMISSIONERS

COUNTY POOR FARM RENTED TO  
SOLOMON WARREN.

Moneys Transferred From Fine and  
Forfeiture Fund to General  
and Road Funds.

Gainesville, Fla., Feb. 2.—The Board of County Commissioners met this day in regular session. Present: J. G. Dampier, chairman; C. W. Summers, O. P. Cannon, J. W. May and J. F. Townsend. The board being called to order the minutes of last meeting were read and approved, whereupon the following orders were made:

That the following bills be paid: S. H. Wienges, auditor, \$50; W. M. Torlay, guard at jail, \$30; Mose Sherman, janitor, \$30; Bell Telephone Co., \$7; J. C. McGrew, supervisor, \$25; Mrs. Ida Streeper, care Wise, \$15; Bessie Goodson, support, \$5; Elizabeth James, support, \$5; Mary Bivens, support, \$5; Lee Polite, support \$3; S. H. Wienges, removing old vault, \$30.80; T. L. Boulware, wood, \$12; Dr. C. L. Carter, services, \$3; East Fla. Telephone Co., \$5.95; H. H. McCreary, printing, \$11; L. A. Jernigan, care clock, \$10; J. C. Balls, clerical work, \$7; Rich Griffin, care paupers, \$20.80; M. J. Thigpen, road work, \$2.62; J. F. Townsend, road work, \$21; James Skinner, road work, \$10; C. W. Bauknight, road supplies, \$14; G. S. Merchant & Co., road supplies, \$82.82; Benson & Son, road work, \$3.88; F. J. Hammond, road supplies, \$29.75; Frank Cauthen, road work, \$1; P. G. Snowden, road work, \$5; Bock Lumber Co., \$6.26; R. P. Cato, road work, 75 cents; E. Stringfellow, road supplies, \$6.86; Pettit & Turner, road supplies, \$8.08; J. R. Feaster, road services, \$56.46; Bishop Harrison Co., \$10.35; Hardee Bros, road supplies, \$4.50; N. G. Matthews, road services, \$50; S. G. Gay, road supplies, \$4.15; C. C. Doke, road work, \$4; W. F. Gay, road supplies, \$8.22; O. P. Cannon, advanced road work, \$4.53; Hardee Bros., \$5; T. R. Waits, services on road, \$62; W. B. Phifer Co., lumber for road, \$9.36; Baird Hardware Co., sundries, \$16.07; J. S. Bodiford & Co., \$8.60; S. G. Matthews, \$5.75; C. W. Summers, road work, \$16; J. W. May, road work, \$16; O. P. Cannon, road work, \$16; J. G. Dampier, road work, \$16. Whereupon Board adjourned until Wednesday.

February 3.—Board met pursuant to adjournment of Tuesday, with J. G. Dampier, C. W. Summers, O. P. Cannon, J. W. May and J. F. Townsend present. The Board being called to order the following bills were paid:

C. W. Summers, road hands, \$150; O. P. Cannon, road hands, \$200; J. F. Townsend, road hands, \$175; J. G. Dampier, road hands, \$200; J. W. May, road hands, \$150; Gas and Electric Power Co., \$12.49; H. & W. B. Drew Co., mortgage record, \$17; W. D. Dickinson, commissions, \$158.14; J. D. Matheson, commissions, \$137.77; \$92.70; M. B. Davis, road supplies, Art Metal Construction Co., vault, \$1,750; Carson & Mott, road work, \$2; McCormick & Howe, road supplies, \$12.51; C. A. Williams, road supplies, \$3; T. R. Waits, road service, \$23.33; vacated, \$13.70; T. B. Tillis, refund, \$5. Gainesville Hardware Co., plumbing, \$2.65; P. G. Ramsey, feeding prisoners, \$182.80; P. G. Ramsey, money ad-

Ordered, That under and by virtue of the Acts of the Legislature of the State of Florida for the year 1907 there be appropriated from the fine and forfeiture fund the sum of \$5,000 for the use of the general fund. Also the sum of \$5,000 from fine and forfeiture fund for the use of the general road fund, said amounts having been derived from the hire of convicts.

That the poor farm be rented to Solomon Warren for the year 1909 for the sum of \$75.

That Ira J. Carter be paid for services at inquest, \$8.50; jury fees, \$9.60; Dr. Thos. McLeod, services, \$10.

The following bills were ordered paid in criminal cases: Ira J. Carter, \$24.01; S. G. Wynne, \$16.40; J. A. Carhale, \$3.60; P. G. Ramsey, \$3.65; T. B. Tillis, \$2.63; Walter Bell, \$37.20;

A Dimple Maker

Find a child with dimples and chubby arms and legs and you find a healthy child. Find one with drawn face and poor, thin body and you see one that needs

Scott's Emulsion

Your doctor will tell you so.

Nothing helps these thin, pale children like Scott's Emulsion. It contains the very element of fat they need. It supplies them with a perfect and quickly digested nourishment. It brings dimples and rounded limbs.

Send this advertisement, together with name of paper in which it appears, your address and four cents to cover postage, and we will send you a "Complete Handy Atlas of the World." **SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl Street, New York**

M. A. Bexley, \$5.07; S. P. Thomas, \$8.20; S. O. Barron, \$2.34; J. L. Thomas, \$12.30.

That the following bonds be approved: Evans Halle, notary public; A. H. Blanding, notary public; S. C. Haymans, justice of peace; F. E. Dennis, notary public; W. E. Bell, notary public; I. E. Webster, notary public; J. D. Watkins, notary public; F. D. Patterson, constable.

A. E. Cline, S. F. Skipper, A. F. Torlay, J. M. Eddy and Joseph Howard, having complied with the law, were allowed to carry a pistol, and Joseph Howard and A. R. Turner were allowed to carry a repeating rifle.

That the following area of Alachua county, Fla., the same being election district No. 7, be and the same is hereby declared a justice of the peace district No. 7, to wit: Election district No. 7, bounded on the west by range line dividing ranges 19 and 20, on the north by a line dividing townships 8 and 9, range 20, on the east by line beginning at the northwest corner of section 2, township 9, ranges 20 and 21, thence south to half-mile stake on east line of section 1, township 10, range 20, on the south beginning at the half-mile stake on east line of section 1, township 10, range 20, and running due west on the half-mile section line through section 1 to 6, township 10, range 20, to the range line between 19 and 20.

The report of J. D. Matheson, county treasurer, was received, showing the condition of the several funds as follows:

General Fund	\$ 2,258.66
Road fund	\$,589.64
Fine and forfeiture	18,302.99
Special road No. 1	163.71
Special road No. 2	630.23
Game fund	920.50
School, special fund	1,560.38

\$27,426.11

General overdraft 651.33

\$26,774.78

Ordered, That C. C. Warren, game warden, be paid \$50, and Amanda Leigh be dropped from pauper list.

The Board then adjourned.

New Automobiles.

H. E. Taylor has returned from Jacksonville, where he went for the purpose of purchasing another automobile, which he brought through the country, making the distance in about six hours. He now has a Mitchell runabout of twenty horse-power and does not ask the sandy roads any odds. Col. F. Y. Smith of Alachua accompanied him as far as Ward City on his trip, he having also purchased a touring car of thirty horse-power of the same make, in which he will hereafter be enabled to take out quite a party of Alachua people and make the trip through the country very easily.

Hamlet

Had melancholy, probably caused by an inactive liver. A bad liver makes one cross and irritable, causes mental and physical depression and may result disastrously. Ballard's Herbine is acknowledged to be the perfect liver regulator. If you're blue and out of sorts, get a bottle today. A positive cure for bilious headache, constipation, chills and fever and all liver complaints. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Well Pleased.

T. W. Dryden of the Bryant-Stratton Business College of Louisville, is among the many visitors here to spend the remainder of the winter. His wife was so well pleased with the city that she induced him to come down and spend the remaining months

THREE CASES BEFORE  
MAYOR DAVIS MONDAY

TWO DRUNKS AND ONE FOR ENGAGING IN "MANLY ART."

Jonas Williams "Felt Good" and Wanted to "Clean Out" His Household. Had to "Shell Out."

Saturday night was not out of the ordinary, but it seemed as if "scrapping" was in the air, and the officers succeeded in rounding up four for the mayor to handle in court Monday morning.

Jonas Williams, a great big negro who must have his "corn" every Saturday night, proceeded to do his regular stunt of filling up to the limit and then putting his household to flight. He was thus engaged when Policeman Owens and Officer Bruton arrived on the scene and put the would-be wife beater under arrest. He was required to leave \$5 and costs and cautioned about his actions hereafter.

Kite Francisco and Joe Floyd were arrested on a charge of fighting. Floyd had made a purchase from the fruit man, and instead of paying for same he cursed the fruit dealer, who "went after" him. They were each fined \$5 and costs.

Riley Williams, a young negro who is a good-natured fellow, but just simply got on a plain drunk, was let go with \$3 and costs.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by all druggists. Price, 75c per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Prominent Mason Here.

Rev. J. H. Weddell of Thonotosassa, Fla., Most Excellent Grand High Priest of Royal Arch Masons of Florida, made Gainesville Chapter No. 2 an official visit the past week. He was royally received and entertained by the companions of the local chapter and presented to the High Priest, who received him with the usual formalities of the order, to which he responded in accordance with his exalted office. He witnessed the degree work of the chapter on two prominent candidates, after which he congratulated the officers upon their proficiency. After a visit to the new temple and the State University he departed for Ocala.

C. R. Kluger, the jeweler, 1060 Virginia avenue, Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I was so weak from kidney trouble that I could hardly walk a hundred feet. Four bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy cleared my complexion, cured my backache and the irregularities disappeared, and I can now attend to business every day, and recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy to all sufferers, as it cured me after the doctors and other remedies had failed." J. W. McCollum & Co.

Good Man at Throttle.

J. G. Rice, one of the best locomotive engineers in the country, has been in charge of the engine on the Jacksonville and Tampa road for the past month, and during that time he has not missed a single connection at Sampson City. Mr. Rice knows how to keep his engine in order and make it "get there" on time.

A lazy liver leads to chronic dyspepsia and constipation—weakens the whole system. Doan's Regulents (25 cents per box) correct the liver, tone the stomach, cure constipation.

The want ads. do more real estate business than all other brokers combined—in fact, they "start" most of the business that the brokers and

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# ONE JUROR IS NEEDED TO TRY COOPER CASE

Former Populist Candidate for Governor Excused  
From Serving on Jury.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Feb. 9.—The nineteenth day closed with the jury still incomplete in the case of the State against Col. Duncan B. Cooper, Robin J. Cooper and John D. Sharpe, charged with the murder of former Senator E. W. Carnack.

One juror, the eleventh, in the person of W. A. Adcock, a young farmer, was sent into the box. Before he was secured 221 talesmen were examined. Of these only seven were able to qualify and six of these were challenged peremptorily. The State now has left three such challenges and the defense 36. There are 200 names yet available in the present venire, from which an effort will be made to secure the twelfth juror.

## One a Would-Be Governor.

Most of the members of this venire live in remote parts of the country, where newspapers are seldom read because of illiteracy there. The few from Nashville and vicinity cannot qualify as jurors because of having read the testimony at the application for bail.

There was yesterday the usual sprinkling of loafers who find the warm court room and comfortable chairs a delightful resting place during the cold wave. These men and boys come early and stay until put

out at night. Some read papers nearly all day. Others sleep peacefully at times, but none pay a great deal of attention to the court proceedings. A. L. Mims, a talesman, excused because he had formed an opinion, was once a candidate for Governor on the Populist ticket.

## The Father of Eight.

The fourth man in the second panel, D. M. Bannister, admitted that his eye sight was failing, but proudly added: "But I kin see to shoot a rifle jest as good as I ever could."

Asked how many children he had, he replied:

"Ef they be all livin' now, and they wuz when last I heard from 'em, I've got eight."

## The State challenged Bannister.

Joe Templeton, a farmer who can neither read nor write, had not heard that Carnack was killed and did not know the defendants. His clothing hung in tatters from his body and he had not been shaven for weeks. The State readily accepted him as a juror, but the defense after long deliberation, excused him.

It was late, before the eleventh juror, W. A. Adcock, was accepted.

Efforts to secure another juror failed and court adjourned with one place in the box still vacant.

# SENATOR TILLMAN MAY WIN HIS FIGHT ON CRUM

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Under the guise of considering the nomination of Dr. W. D. Crum, the negro collector of customs at Charleston, S. C., reappointed by President Roosevelt, the Senate, in executive session yesterday, discussed the Japanese question. Incidentally the discussion turned upon the reference to Senator Perkins by President Roosevelt, in a telegram to Gov. Gillett of California, in which he said that the Senior California Senator had hampered the administration in its efforts to build the navy, yet now "advices a policy of wanton insult."

Reference to this statement was made by Senator Tillman; colleague of Senator Perkins on the naval affairs committee, and indignation was shown by other Senators, because of the attack upon Mr. Perkins.

Both California Senators took part in the discussion. Senator Perkins made a statement to the effect that he had not been asked by the President to participate in the conferences that have been held concerning the Japanese situation in California. He said that he could not understand why the President should intimate that he tried to stir up the sentiment in California in opposition to the President.

He stated that his position had been on the subject of a big navy, declaring that he had always been in favor of a steady growth of the navy, even though he was against the President's four battleship program last session.

Senator Flint declared that he had not participated in the conference at the White House until he was asked to serve as the intermediary between the administration and the Legislature. He made it clear that he did not approve of the criticism of his colleague.

While it is becoming apparent that Collector Crum cannot be confirmed at the present session, it is also evident that the case is being used as a "buffer" for the legislation which the leaders do not intend shall be passed. Senators Tillman, Frazier and Gary made extended speeches yesterday on the rate question in the South.

Mr. Gary talked of the Crum case in particular, and against the policy of placing negroes in important official positions where it is necessary for whites to come in contact with them, and especially in cases where practically all of the business of an office is transacted by white people.

# Horrible Accident Results In Death of Fitz Johnson

TAMPA, Fla., Feb. 9.—The Gary settlement just east of Ybor City, was the scene of a distressing accident Saturday afternoon, by which the life was crushed out of Fitz Johnson, collector for an Ybor City furniture house, and his body frightfully mangled. Johnson was walking along Twenty-sixth street, where the Gary extension of the Tampa Electric Company's trolley service has its track very near to the building line, and in endeavoring to avoid coming in contact with teams which were congested on the thoroughfare, he stepped onto the track in front of a passing car, unmindful of its nearness to him, and before the motorman could apply the brakes the car struck the man, knocking him down and passing over one.

his body in such a manner as to cut his lower limbs into dismembered fragments, and batter his body into frightful shape.

Medical aid was quickly summoned and responded, but Johnson died within a few minutes after the accident.

He was a man 35 years of age, and left four orphaned children, who had lost their mother only a few months ago.

Where the accident occurred there is no sidewalk, and the street cars run dangerously near to the building line of the street, and the meeting of two teams near the car track compelled the man to take to the car track to get out of their way. The sad accident is not blamable to any one.

## CATHERINE HAILE GAINED YESTERDAY

MISS DORIAN ELLIS GRADUALLY  
CLOSING THE GAP

Which Separates Her from the Leader,  
Miss Bessie Dupree—Voting Con-  
fined Principally to Leaders.

Outside of the four leaders there was very little doing in the way of votes in the piano contest yesterday.

Following is the grand total of all votes received by the contestants up to date:

Miss Bessie Dupree, city.....	647,530
Miss Dorian Ellis, city.....	639,315
Miss Catherine Haile, city.....	556,570
Miss Florrie Strickland.....	281,385
Miss M. Daughtrey, city.....	158,370
Miss Mary McCormick, city....	71,065
Miss Nannie Dickinson, city....	52,870
Miss Alma Fennell, city.....	47,315
Miss Julia Carter, city.....	44,230
Miss A. Groff, Newberry.....	37,910
Miss Jessie Evans, city.....	30,015
Miss Mabel Sanchez, city.....	29,710
Miss A. Strickland, Waldo.....	21,860
Miss Estelle Beal, city.....	20,185
Miss Annie Beville.....	18,135
Miss Emma Hudson, city.....	11,485
Mrs. I. Ware, High Springs....	10,820
Miss Elvena Staf, Waldo.....	10,490
Miss Lizzie Sheppard, Bell....	5,905
Miss Goldie Lambert, city.....	5,640
Miss K. Carlton, Micanopy....	5,490
Miss Mary Thigpin, city.....	3,795
Miss M. Fernandez, city.....	3,620
Mrs. A. W. Sargent.....	3,235
Miss L. Sanders, Hawthorn....	3,150
Miss Ruby Albright.....	3,080
Miss Mamie Fagan.....	110

## THROAT TROUBLES WEAKEN THE SYSTEM

A serious illness is often brought on by a neglected sore throat.

All throat troubles invariably weaken the system and should not be allowed to go unchecked.

A gargle made with twelve drops of Sloan's Liniment in half a glass of water will break up a sore throat.

Sloan's Liniment is an excellent remedy for tonsillitis, croup, asthma and bronchitis. Applied freely to the outside of the throat and chest, it draws out the inflammation, reduces the swelling and relieves and soothes. Twelve drops of this Liniment in half a glass of water makes a splendid antiseptic gargle.

Mr. Albert W. Price of Fredonia, Kans., writes:—"We have used Sloan's Liniment in the family for about a year, and find it an excellent relief for colds and hay fever attacks. Two drops of the Liniment in a teaspoonful of water will stop coughing and sneezing instantly."

Mr. L. T. Hurst of Coatsville, Ind., writes:—"I find your Liniment the best remedy I have ever tried for sore throat, either for horse or man. I once cured a case of sore throat on myself the second day and almost the first night, which had continued for over three weeks, under constant treatment of three physicians (I was traveling) and it was getting worse."

## MELROSE NEWS.

MELROSE, Feb. 10.—The Arbor day observance was much curtailed by the whooping cough among the children, preventing many from singing or speaking, so only one tree was planted and a short program rendered.

D. Pugh and party from Ohio are among the new arrivals in town.

The fine Victor graphophone recently ordered by Rev. J. A. Waters has arrived and will soon be enjoyed by his friends.

An important real estate transaction was arranged last week, when J. N. Cole of Utica, N. Y., became the owner of the Caldwell property, one of the best locations in town.

Ed Mahan of St. Marys, Fla., is stopping at Mrs. Lee's. Mr. Mahan is a first-class surveyor and has been engaged by the town council to survey the town limits and make a map of same for the town.

Under the supervision of L. M. Baldwin, chairman of the street committee, good work is being done in re-laying and repairing the streets and sidewalks of the town.

F. H. Sutton has returned from Wannee, where he was recently called to run the steamer "Alert," formerly

## The Facts About Pe-ru-na.

Is Peruna an alcoholic beverage in disguise? Is it possible to use Peruna as a substitute for whiskey? Do people buy Peruna and use it as a today, a bitters, or a brace?

It would be the easiest thing in the world for any one to demonstrate the falsity of such statements. Let any one go to the drug store and purchase a bottle of Peruna. Let him undertake to use it as a beverage, or take this remedy in doses considerably larger than those prescribed on the bottle. Would the result be alcoholic intoxication? Nothing of the sort. Let any one try it and see.

Peruna is a medical compound quite heavily loaded with medicinal ingredients. If taken in doses larger than prescribed it would produce a positive drug effect. No one could take it as a beverage. If any one doubts these statements, try it and see. We know that Peruna cannot be used as a beverage; that it will not intoxicate; that it cannot be used as a substitute for liquors. We guarantee that PERUNA CONTAINS NO CHEAP WHISKEY OR ANY OTHER WHISKEY, for that matter.

It contains a small per cent. of cologne spirits, absolutely essential to dissolve and hold in solution medicinal ingredients, but the drugs contained in Peruna prohibit its use as a beverage. It would be the easiest thing in the world for any one to demonstrate this if they chose to do so.

Peruna is sold everywhere. THE INGREDIENTS ARE PLAINLY PRINTED ON EACH BOTTLE. It has been said over and over again that chemists have analyzed Peruna and found it to contain only cubebs and whiskey. Now we challenge any chemist to demonstrate any such statement. Let any one who has even a smattering knowledge of chemistry purchase a bottle of Peruna and see whether or not it contains whiskey, and out for himself whether or not it is composed of cheap whiskey and cubebs. Of course, cubebs is one of the ingredients of Peruna, but there are many other ingredients. It contains hydrastis canadensis, corydalis formosa, collinsonia, and at least four other medicinal ingredients. To be sure, no chemist could analyze Peruna as to be able to identify the various medicinal ingredients. This is beyond the ability of any chemist. But any ordinary chemist would be able to say that Peruna is heavily loaded with medicinal ingredients of some kind in addition to cubebs.

Now why are these statements repeated when their falsity could be easily demonstrated? Simply because there is continued hostility toward Peruna on the part of the medical profession. Very likely the magazines which took up the crusade against Peruna and denounced it as a cheap beverage were misled by statements of the medical profession. Probably they were sincere in their attitude towards it. But now, after all these things have been said and refuted, it would seem to be in order for such people to use a little fairness and common sense in the matter.

Every time any one says that Peruna is nothing but cheap whiskey and cubebs he is telling a lie, an absolute falsehood. Most people intend to speak the truth. But the prevalent habit of repeating other people's statements without investigation as to their truth, has led many well-meaning people to say these false things about Peruna.

Used according to the directions on the bottle, PERUNA IS A SAFE AND RELIABLE CATARRH REMEDY, but, like any other good medicine, if taken in excess of those doses, it will produce drug effects very unpleasant to the person who takes it.

It is therefore up to every honest person to quit making such statements concerning Peruna, or acknowledge that he is repeating slanders about which he knows nothing. One might just as well say that Castor Oil is an intoxicant, that if taken in large enough doses it will operate as a "booze." If people never tried to see, but simply repeated such statements about Castor Oil, the majority of people would come to believe them. It is no easier to demonstrate such a statement about Castor Oil than it would be about Peruna.

Any one who takes Peruna knows that such statements are false. To say that Peruna is cheap whiskey and cubebs may constitute good material for jokes on the vaudeville stage, but there is no excuse for any one who pretends to be truthful saying over again this oft-repeated falsehood.

## SIGNING CONTRACT IS SOON EXPECTED

DISBURSING OFFICER REQUEST-  
ED TO INCREASE HIS BOND.

Thought That Something Definite Will  
Be Known Here Within Next Few  
Days Concerning the Matter.

The next few days is expected to bring forth the news of the signing of the contract for the Government building, as all indications now point to the incident being closed, when the citizens will become at ease in the matter.

B. F. Hampton, representing the Gainesville Board of Trade, is now in Washington doing everything possible to further these ends, and something very satisfactory is expected from him at almost any time.

H. E. Taylor, cashier of the First National Bank, has been requested to increase his bond as disbursing officer, which is an indication that something is being done along this line.

So many rumors are afloat concerning the building that we give the above information, but we can assure our readers that we will know as soon as the papers are signed and will let them know just when the contract is awarded, regardless of the rumors.

on Santa Fe Lake, for a prospective buyer, but who failed to show up.

Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Curtis of Orange Heights are giving a series of luncheons to their Melrose friends. That they are always most enjoyable affairs goes without saying.

## The Basis.

He—I wonder if we can get along all right. She—Certainly. We can buy the auto with the money father left me, and you will surely make enough to pay for running it, don't you think?—Puck.

The more one speaks of himself the less he likes to hear another talk of. —Lavater.

## COTTON SEED OIL MILL ANOTHER ENTERPRISE

SEVERAL GENTLEMEN NOW CON-  
SIDERING PLANS.

To Produce Oil and Other Products  
from the Cotton Seed in  
Their Raw State.

Another enterprise that is favorably spoken of for Gainesville is the erection of a large mill for the purpose of utilizing the cotton seed of this section of the State.

The main promoters of this enterprise desire that their names be kept from the public just at this time, but there has already been enough interest in the enterprise to assure that it is a close probability for next fall, when the cotton seed will be plentiful in this section.

From the raw cotton seed they could manufacture meal, oil and many other useful things which we daily buy and which would open up a better market and make it more profitable to grow this crop than it has been in the past.

There are many of the members of the proposed company who are very enthusiastic over the enterprise and from present indications it looks as if something definite will be gotten into shape within a very short while.

Ronnie Muse, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Muse of Sanford, died Sunday from the result of an accident at the Crystal Ice Works. The little boy was playing on the trestle that supports the runway for loading ice into refrigerator cars. He was struck by a cake of ice and got entangled in the machinery. His body was terribly lacerated and he died soon after he was extricated. Ronnie was 7 years of age. He was playing with other boys and had been cautioned to be careful. The body was taken to Lawtey by the bereaved parents for interment.

Sun "Want" ads. bring results.



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 The Sun and The Semi-Weekly Times-Union one year ..... 1.50

We will not accept stamps of a larger denomination than 2 cents.

If you desire to vote at the municipal election on April 13th, see to it that your name is on the city registration books.

The kindergarten is said to be on the decline. What kind of a nation can we hope to become if the youth of the country is allowed to grow up without knowing how to make raffia baskets and tissue paper candles?

You may never have another such opportunity to get a fine piano as is now afforded you in The Sun piano contest. If you fail to win the piano the due bills are worth their full value to you on the purchase of one of these fine instruments.

Since 1900 divorce in this country has increased thrice as fast as the population. But this should give no one cause for alarm. It means simply the application of our much taught lesson of life, if at first you don't succeed, try, try again.

The cold weather of last week did no damage to oranges on the trees in this section. Former Sheriff Fennell presented the editor of The Sun with a dozen oranges picked from his grove near Hawthorn which were as juicy and of as fine flavor as we ever tasted.

Judge A. O. Wright of Jacksonville, who has been lecturing at different points in the State on the Confederate Navy, is one of the best-posted men in the South on the subject he has taken for his lecture. It is to be hoped that he will deliver his lecture in Gainesville at some future date.

The shipbuilding industry in England has been greatly depressed on account of the strikes which have lasted for several months. An agreement has now been ratified between employer and men by which the strike will end and the relation between the two parties put upon a satisfactory basis. Under the arrangement no small union can create a strike, and all questions arising will be thoroughly and amicably discussed by the representatives of employers and unions and every possible plan adopted to prevent a strike or lock-out. The agreement will probably have far-reaching consequences on labor and capital elsewhere.

Through the courtesy of Superintendent A. L. Glass a party of gentlemen went to Fairfield last Sunday over the Jacksonville and Tampa railway. In the party who left Gainesville was B. W. Blount of Jacksonville, vice-president and a large stockholder in the road. At Micanopy they were joined by Drs. L. and H. L. Montgomery. At Fairfield they were shown probably the largest and best deposit of lime in the State, which will some day prove profitable to the man or men who develop it. The roadbed of the railroad was found to be in good condition, and Supt. Glass was complimented by all upon the good work he has done in this line since he assumed charge. The J. & T. passes through the best farming section in Florida, and some day the road will prove profitable to its owners. The day was an ideal one and the large loads of vegetables along the route were beautiful for the eye to behold.

### WHO MAKES THE STYLES?


When a mere man looks at woman as she is clothed today, the hipless, bustless, curveless, hydrocephalic creature that he once knew as the divine incarnation of his dreams of femininity, he usually proposes the question, who makes the styles? It isn't worth while to bother about the answer (it is merely an interjection after all), for dear woman cares not who makes the styles so long as someone provides her with the money to wear them. But the question, after all, is not unanswerable. The tailors and dressmakers and milliners make the styles, and woman accepts them as she has accepted her convictions, her morals, and her entire relation to life, without question. Woman is fundamentally a passive creature, and she has learned well her lesson that in her passivity she finds her greatest power. By her passivity she secures her position in the world, by it she secures a husband and keeps a roof over her head, and it would be strange and anomalous if she rose from it and rebelled against fashion. When the dressmakers of nearly all of the civilized countries of the globe were in session in Paris last year the greatest of all Paris tailors rose and explained the situation to the bewildered and despairing fashion makers. The United States has passed through a panic, he said, and there are sure to be hard times ahead. If Bryan is elected we are lost. Unless we invent some entirely new style of gowns and hats we shall have no orders. Women will wear their old clothes for economy's sake, and unless they can be made to feel the hopelessness of their old gowns we shall have no orders. Therefore the pleated skirt, the short sleeve, the normal waist line and the becoming hat must go. Promptly the dressmakers took the cue. They took the last pucker of fullness out of the skirt and put on the market the abomination known as the sheath skirt. They added a dozen inches to its length at the bottom and raised it a fraction of a foot at the top to cut off the possibility of making over the last year's gown. They brought collars up to the tips of the ears and sleeves down to the knuckles. Then they crowded the hideous achievement with a monstrous hat that defied every law of beauty and aesthetics. They introduced iron clad corsets that suppress hips, bust and breathing, but has anyone heard a woman's voice raised against the travesty they have made of the human form divine? So far not a whisper from women, but a chorus of ecstasy rises to the stars with the latest announcement that the sheath gown, the merry widow hat and the hunch-back blouse are out. And all the time the men are demanding "who makes the styles?" and the women are busy calculating where the money is to come from to buy all of the new delightful and enchanting things that are going to be the fashion.

Is the good feeling between England and Japan cooling off? There are signs that it is. In the naval conference held in London the British authorities were sanguine that Japan would support their propositions, but they took the opposite position. Then, too, the Japanese minister at Peking declined to go with the American and British ministers to enquire of the Chinese government its attitude on internal reforms and their bearing upon international relations.

There is very general satisfaction that the demand of the Russian government for the extradition of Rudovitz has been denied. The decision of the United States Government in this case is a vindication of the sacred right of asylum, and while occasionally that right may be abused, yet better that than give up so righteous a principle. We deplore the excesses of the revolutionists in Russia, but the responsibility for them must be charged against the government.

The four South African British colonies have at last formed a federation much like that of Australia. The only unsettled point is that of the capital. Cape Colony wants Cape Town, Natal and Transvaal want Pretoria, and Orange is in hope that Bloemfontein will be chosen. That these colonies, which were at deadly war with each other less than a decade ago, are now working harmoniously together is a great triumph for freedom and representative government.

Nearly sixty thousand boxes of oranges have been shipped from Seffner since the late cold weather. The crop there was large this season.



**Purity, Mellowness and Rich Flavor**  
 are the distinguishing qualities of  
**Sunny Brook**  
 THE PURE FOOD  
**Whiskey**

It is distilled in the good old Kentucky way and is especially adapted for home use. Every bottle is sealed with the Government "Green Stamp," a positive assurance of full proof, full quantity and a fully matured age. It stands unequalled as a rich and healthful stimulant—a sure cure for many of the minor ailments of the human system.

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**4 Bottles \$4**  
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 Rye or Bourbon

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 Full Quarts  
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Shipped in plain boxes. Send remittance with your order.  
 No goods shipped C. O. D.

### CURRENT COMMENT.

The Philadelphia Record says: "If business isn't booming quite as was hoped for, there is no question about the radical improvement of things since a year ago. One evidence of this cited by Dunn's Review is that the bank clearings in 110 cities were \$14,003,261,453 last month, against only \$11,336,483,836 in January, 1908—an increase of more than 23 per cent. In many of the cities the clearings were larger last month than they were in January, 1907, when business was at its height. But for the great shrinkage in stock business in New York the clearings of the country would have run above those of two years ago. If there is still some idle machinery, the volume of trade must be very nearly normal."

The Indianapolis News says: "The edge of folly in this is that neither the Japanese nor any other people are trying to encroach on our rights or assimilate with our race. (One of the standing accusations against them is that they do not assimilate.) The Japanese are entitled to their treaty rights and under them in this country to the equal protection of our laws. That is all. They may be legislated against in terms that legislate against all aliens; but they cannot be discriminated against. And if California and Nevada think that we can or will put a wall around the country to shut out a particular people from ordinary intercourse—such as we extorted from Japan for ourselves by our warships, they are thinking in terms of the Chinese and Japanese of dead and gone generations and not at all in the spirit of America or the world today."

The Washington Post says: "All Americans, we feel sure, want to retain the friendship of Japan, and are always ready to give proof of their good faith. But they cannot fawn, and they will not deceive. They will look after their own welfare, as all nations must do. They will not truckle to any nation in order to obtain consent to exercise their own rights in their own country. If any nation should demand, as the price of friendship, any concession from the United States which cannot be granted in honor, self-respect, or courtesy, the demand will be refused. Such friendship is not worth having. The friendship which Americans desire to maintain with Japan is that of mutual respect and scrupulous observance of mutual rights. The friendship that must be bought by subservience is not wanted, and the friendship that cannot last without continual outpourings of regard is not worth while."

Miami yachtsmen will soon have a new club house. There are many fine yachts to be seen daily plying the waters of Biscayne Bay.

And why shouldn't the Chicago school authorities put a ban on the singing of "Dixie" at the Lincoln celebration? Can't think of any occasion when the South's great war song would be more completely out of place and its use show a more absurd want of good taste. The antics the New Orleans Progressive Union is cutting up about the matter will awaken the risibilities of sensible Southerners, who are noted for their sincerity and devotion to the eternal fitness of things. They love their song and honestly admire Lincoln, but surely the words of one and memory of the other would not mix any better than oil and water.—Pensacola Journal.

The Journal takes a sensible view of the matter. Is there a true Southerner who would not object to the singing of "Yankee Doodle" at the celebration of the birthday of Jeff Davis? Let's all respect the feelings of each other on such occasions, and cease this eternal stirring up of strife between the scarred veterans who fought to maintain what they deemed to be right.

The making public of the large sums paid Ex-Governor Jennings during the past two years as attorney for the trustees of the Internal Improvement Fund has caused unfavorable comment by the State press generally. The Dunnellon Advocate, however, refers to such comments as "hot air," and says if Jennings had not earned the money paid him an investigation would have been made. Will Editor Peacock kindly inform the public what opportunity there has been for an investigation of the matter? No one blames Mr. Jennings for accepting the money, but the trustees are blamed for employing counsel at such a price when it was the business of the Attorney-General to have attended to the legal affairs of the trustees.

It is to be hoped that the cold weather which "scorched" some of the orange trees last week has killed the white fly pest. Dr. L. Montgomery of Micanopy, who has a fine grove of the golden fruit, is of the opinion that the white fly will not be so troublesome the coming season as it has been. He keeps his trees as free as possible of the pest by the use of a solution of his own manufacture which he has found very effective in destroying the insect.

If anyone has ever satisfactorily answered the question of "How old is Ann?" we would like to get them to figure on how long it will be before the public square is paved with vitrified brick.

Pensacola merchants are finding a profitable market for their surplus eggs in Tennessee towns.

## THE BUSH & SAFFORD PIANO CONTEST

In Which a Resident of Alachua County Will be Awarded a Beautiful Howard Piano, and 18 Certificates Valued at \$3,150.00 Furnished by The Bush & Safford Piano Co., Sole Representatives of The R. S. Howard Co. of Miami, the Contest to be Conducted by THE SUN in Behalf of Bush & Safford.

\$3,550.00.

One \$400.00 Howard Piano will be given to the person residing in the County of Alachua who receives the highest number of votes between December 15th, 1908, and 10 p. m. April 15th, 1909.

### ADDITIONAL GIFTS.

In addition to the Piano there will be issued by The Bush & Safford Piano Co., on a new \$400 Howard Piano, eighteen Transferable Due Bills, same to be used as a first or initial payment on a new Howard Piano. These due bills will be given in this voting contest as follows, to persons residing in Alachua County:

To the first six receiving the next to the highest vote, a due bill for each for \$200.00.

To the second six receiving the next highest vote, a due bill for each for \$175.00.

To the next six receiving the next highest vote, a due bill for each for \$150.00.

These due bills may be used by the winners or can be disposed of to anyone for any value they may see fit, and will be worth their face value upon the purchase of one of these new pianos.

In the event of a tie for any prize offered, a prize similar in all respects thereto will be given each of those tying.

### How and Where to Get Votes.

The following merchants will give one vote for every cent paid into their establishments for goods which they handle:

The Gainesville Hardware Co.  
 Phifer Bros.  
 Hyde & Tench.

### Where Votes May be Cast.

Ballot boxes will be found in the establishments of the merchants giving votes and at The Sun office. Votes sent by mail must be directed to the Voting Contest Department of The Sun, Gainesville, Florida.

### Rules and Regulations.

1 The contest is open to anyone living in Alachua county who is known by the conductors of the contest or vouched for by some reputable person, to them well known.

2 No employee, attachee or relative of the proprietors of the above-named firms are eligible to participate in this contest and will participate in no manner.

3 In the event of a misunderstanding between candidates or others interested in this contest, such controversy may be referred to the conductors of contest, who alone are the persons qualified to render decisions.

4 In the event a candidate decides to withdraw from the race, such candidate will not be allowed to transfer votes to the credit of another candidate in the contest.

### THE DAILY SUN.

	Old Subscribers.	New Subscribers.
\$1.25	400 votes	600 votes
\$2.50	1,000 votes	1,200 votes
\$5.00	3,000 votes	3,500 votes

For a club of five (old subscribers) one-year subscriptions (before April 1, 1909) 25,000 votes.

For a club of five (new subscribers) one-year subscriptions (before April 1, 1909) 30,000 votes.

For club of ten (old subscribers) six-months' subscriptions (before April 1, 1909) 25,000 votes.

For a club of ten (new subscribers) six-months' subscriptions (before April 1, 1909) 30,000 votes.

There is no limit to the number of clubs each contestant may secure.

### THE SEMI-WEEKLY SUN.

	Old Subscribers.	New Subscribers.
\$1.00	400 votes	600 votes

For a club of five one-year subscriptions ..... 4,000 votes

There is no limit to the number of clubs each contestant may secure.

Soliciting votes by candidates or friends within the stores distributing votes is undesired by the proprietors.

ADVERTISE IN THE SUN There's a Reason.



**TILGHMAN'S CONDITION POWDER**  
 SALT-SICK  
 CURE  
 YOU KNOW IT BY THE COW

THE ONLY CURE FOR SALT-SICK IN CALIFORNIA  
 PREPARED BY TILGHMAN'S CONDITION POWDER CO., SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.  
 IT IS THE BEST MEDICINE IN THE WORLD FOR SALT-SICK IN ALL CATTLE AND HORSES. IT CURES THEM IN 24 HOURS. IT IS THE ONLY CURE FOR SALT-SICK IN CALIFORNIA. IT IS THE ONLY CURE FOR SALT-SICK IN CALIFORNIA. IT IS THE ONLY CURE FOR SALT-SICK IN CALIFORNIA.







## DAUGHTREY MAKES GOOD F. O. B. SALE

**SELLS THREE HUNDRED BASKETS LETTUCE FOR \$900.**

is One of the Leading Truckers and Always Makes a Good Haul on Lettuce.

From Wednesday's Daily Sun: Alex Daughtrey, who farms at Rocky Point but lives in this city, is among the most successful farmers in this section.

On Saturday he closed a deal for three hundred crates of lettuce at \$3 per basket f. o. b. Rocky Point, which is only a small part of what he has to offer. He was among the first growers here to use canvas and has never failed to come out ahead on this projected article.

It is understood that the buyer wanted all Mr. Daughtrey had, but he would not consent to sell him the entire crop.

Prices for lettuce are still advancing daily, but the growers around here think it will drop within about ten days, as they figure that a large part of the young lettuce that was unprotected will grow out of its sickly condition within that time and the outdoor people will be shipping along with the canvas article.

### B. K. THROWER MARRIED.

Prominent Traveling Man Weds Popular Belle of Orlando.

The meager information in the shape of a telegram was all the news concerning the marriage of Mr. B. K. Thrower to Miss Ora Hammond, one of the belles of Orlando, Tuesday.

It was not positively known among his most intimate friends that he was about to become a benedict, and the news received here was rather a surprise to his numerous friends throughout the city. Only the immediate family of the bride were present to witness the happy event.

Mr. Thrower has for some time been a resident of Gainesville and held the responsible position as traveling salesman for the Baird Hardware Company.

The bride is one of the charming young belles of Orlando and quite a social favorite, and will prove quite an addition to the social circles of the city.

Following the ceremony the happy pair left for Tampa. They will arrive here within a week and will make this city their future home.

To feel strong, have good appetite and digestion, sleep soundly and enjoy life, use Burdock Blood Bitters, the great system tonic and builder.

## DRINK A BOTTLE



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EVERYWHERE

Bottled By—

Gainesville Coca-Cola Bottling Co.

# SAVED FROM AN OPERATION

By Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound

Louisville, Ky.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has certainly done me a world of good and I cannot praise it enough. I suffered from irregularities, dizziness, nervousness, and a severe female trouble. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored me to perfect health and kept me from the operating table. I will never be without this medicine in the house."—Mrs. SAM'L LEE, 3523 Fourth St., Louisville, Ky.

**Another Operation Avoided.** Adrian, Ga.—"I suffered untold misery from female troubles, and my doctor said an operation was my only chance, and I dreaded it almost as much as death. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound completely cured me without an operation."—LENA V. HENRY, R. F. D. 3.

Thirty years of unparalleled success confirms the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to cure female diseases. The great volume of unsolicited testimony constantly pouring in proves conclusively that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a remarkable remedy for those distressing feminine ills from which so many women suffer.

### JUDSON NOTES.

JUDSON, Feb. 7.—R. S. Tucker went to Trenton today to ship his cotton. He says he has 51 bales and he bought it in 1907 and paid 25 to 30 cents per pound for it. He has had it now going on two years for 35 cents, but he has decided to ship it to Savannah and says that he will be glad to get 20 cents net for it. Besides the loss on the cotton he has paid out about \$80 storage and insurance on it.

J. W. Adams attended the U. S. court in Gainesville. W. W. Weeks was summoned there on the jury, but as he was holding the office of justice of the peace they released him.

This part of the country is getting very dry.

The late cold never hurt us much, as we never had anything for it to hurt. A few small gardens of "greens" were scorched a little, but the drouth is doing us the most harm. The land is getting hard to break and it will soon be planting time. If it does not rain soon we cannot get crops up. The wells are going dry and some shallow pumps will have to be sunk deeper.

### BONNIE MELROSE.

MELROSE, Feb. 9.—The oyster supper given by Melrose Lodge, F. & A. M., is an annual event long looked for by everyone who ever attended one of the jolly occasions. This year's supper was given on Friday night at the Huffman House, and, as might be expected, was an unqualified success, thanks to the untiring efforts of the ladies who had the affair in charge. A large crowd attended and enjoyed the bountiful feast prepared. An unexpected treat was given afterwards in the hotel parlor, when Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pearsall and J. A. Rammel entertained the guests with music, songs and recitations for over an hour, and afterwards dancing was indulged in. Jacksonville, Gainesville, Waldo, Micanopy and Orange Heights were well represented.

Mrs. J. A. Waters left Saturday for Archer. She returned Tuesday, bringing friends with her.

### The Health of Your Horse

will be best promoted—best preserved—if you are ready to give the proper remedy at the proper time. The proper remedy for all strains, sprains, or colic is Perry Davis' Pain-killer. The proper time to use it is when the trouble first shows itself. Be prompt and you'll not only save the horse suffering, but you'll spare yourself trouble and expense—maybe save a long time waiting. You ought to have a bottle ready. The new size bottle costs 35 cents; one larger, 50 cents. Be sure your druggist gives you Perry Davis'.

The Sun office for calling cards.

## A HORRIBLE TRAGEDY OCCURRED AT PALATKA

NEGRO SHOT TOP OF HIS WIFE'S  
HEAD OFF.

Man Then Deliberately Walked to  
County Jail and Gave Himself  
Up to the Sheriff.

PALATKA, Feb. 8.—A domestic misunderstanding between a negro by the name of Bowman and his wife culminated in a tragedy Saturday night about 6 o'clock, when Bowman blew his wife's brains out with a double-barreled shotgun loaded with buckshot. After the commission of the deed Bowman deliberately walked in the direction of the county jail, gave himself up, and was put behind the bars.

One of the deadly missiles struck the woman in the right temple. The remainder of the charge bunched around the right ear and made pulp of the skull and skin. So fatal was the wound that the woman scarcely had time to realize what had befallen her.

Grief and consternation reigns in the colored section, where the shooting occurred, and the frenzied screams of women and the cries of children blended in fearful and discordant unison. A physician was immediately summoned, but the unfortunate victim was, of course, beyond all human aid.

Sheriff Kennerly and his alert deputies were at the scene at once and stood ready to do whatever was necessary had the negro attempted to escape.

### LOCHLOOSA NEWS NOTES.

LOCHLOOSA, Feb. 7.—Mrs. S. F. McEwen returned home Sunday from a pleasant visit to relatives in Gainesville.

Mrs. F. S. Jackson was unexpectedly called to Dade City Thursday on account of the illness of her daughter, who is one of the high school teachers there. We are glad to hear that she is improving.

Miss Emma McEwen departed Sunday for a few weeks' stay with relatives at Gainesville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tompkins of Fort McCoy are spending a while with relatives here.

J. H. Upthegrove made a business trip to Ocala Wednesday.

Surveyor Savage of Ocala is here for a few days locating cypress timber, with the prospects of putting up a shingle mill at or near this place.

Messrs. R. J. Tompkins and Joe McKay of Forest Grove spent Thursday with relatives here.

### Justice Carlisle's Court.

There were two cases before Justice of the Peace Carlisle on Tuesday, which he disposed of with his usual promptness, administering justice to the couple arraigned.

W. E. Glover, for carrying a pistol, was fined \$100 and costs, but the judge gave him a ninety-day bond in which to pay into the county the amount.

John Wilson became involved on Saturday night with his wife and was let off with \$10 and costs, but his attorney took an appeal and his case will be heard before the circuit court.

### Hexamethylenetetramine.

The above is the name of a German chemical, which is one of the many valuable ingredients of Foley's Kidney Remedy. Hexamethylenetetramine is recognized by the medical text books and authorities as a uric acid solvent and antiseptic for the urine. Take Foley's Kidney Remedy as soon as you notice any irregularities, and avoid a serious malady. J. W. McCollum & Co.

### Gainesville Infested.

Gainesville is infested with pencil vendors, shoe string peddlers and the like, who have been more numerous the present season than ever before in the history of the town. The city council should pass an ordinance compelling them to look for other fields, as Jacksonville and other places have done.

### Pneumonia Follows Lagrippe.

Pneumonia often follows lagrippe but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar, for lagrippe coughs and deep-seated colds. Refuse any but the genuine in the yellow package. J. W. McCollum & Co.

## Do Not Neglect a Cold.

Every cold weakens the Lungs, lowers the Vitality and makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding cold, thus paving the way for more serious diseases.

CAN YOU AFFORD TO TAKE SUCH CHANCES?

# BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP

**PERMANENTLY CURES**  
Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma,  
Croup, Whooping Cough, Bron-  
chitis, Hoarseness, Sore Lungs.

EVERY MOTHER SHOULD KNOW THAT BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP CONTAINS NOTHING INJURIOUS, DOES NOT CONSTIPATE CHILDREN AND WILL POSITIVELY CURE COUGH AND WHOOPING COUGH.

MRS. SALLIE LOCKMAN, Goldthwaite, Tex., says: "We have used Ballard's Horehound Syrup in my family for several years, and it always gives satisfaction. When the children had Croup and Whooping Cough it always relieved them at once, and I would not be without it in the house, as it is the BEST MEDICINE we know of."

Best Remedy for Children. Every Bottle Guaranteed.

THREE SIZES: 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

BALLARD SNOW LINIMENT CO., ST. LOUIS, MO.

SOLD AND RECOMMENDED BY

W M JOHNSON

## W. C. FISHER KILLED IN RUNAWAY ACCIDENT

FORT MEADE, Feb. 8.—W. C. Fisher of Baxley, Ga., was instantly killed near here yesterday by being thrown from a buggy in a runaway accident. His spinal cord was broken. The body has been embalmed and will be shipped to his former home.

## Notice to Tax-Payers

We will meet the tax-payers at the following places on the dates set opposite:

Orange Heights—Feb. 10th.  
Melrose—Feb. 11th.  
Hawthorn—Feb. 12th and 13th.  
Micanopy—Feb. 15th and 16th a. m.  
Evinston—Feb. 16th, p. m.  
Lake View—Feb. 17th.  
Island Grove—Feb. 18th.  
Waldo—Feb. 22nd.  
Arredondo—Feb. 24th.  
Fairbanks—Feb. 23rd.

Yours for the best service,

W. D. DICKINSON,

Tax Collector.

WILLIS W. COLSON,

Tax Assessor.

Gainesville, Fla., Dec. 16, 1908.

### Worn Out.

That's the way you feel about the lungs when you have a hacking cough. It's foolishness to let it go on and trust to luck to get over it, when Ballard's Horehound Syrup will stop the cough and heal the lungs. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

### Hunting Party Return.

Dr. J. A. Batton, R. W. Beall and D. M. Higginbottom, composing a party of Dr. Herzog's friends from Philadelphia, have returned from Trenton, where they have been encamped for the past two weeks in search of quail. They report plenty of birds, but the weather has been so exceedingly dry that the dogs could not do good work.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the  
Signature of *Dr. J. C. Hart*

### Death of Little Boy.

The little four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. White of Fairbanks died on Monday at the home of his parents and was buried Tuesday afternoon in the cemetery at that place.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures constipation and liver trouble and makes the bowels healthy and regular. Orino is superior to pills and tablets as it does not gripe or nauseate. Why take anything else? J. W. McCollum & Co.

## LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Gainesville, Fla.

Notice is hereby given that John G. Osteen of Donipha, Florida, who, on June 21, 1902, made Homestead Entry No. 3191 (Serial No. 0.942), for N 1/4 of Sec. 10, Township 10 South, Range 14 East, Tallahassee Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Florida, on the 2nd day of March, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: C. W. Summers, W. J. Matthews, J. D. L. Polk, A. H. Hillard, all of Donipha, Fla.  
HENRY S. CHUBB, Register.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Gainesville, Fla.

Notice is hereby given that John D. Wilkerson of Wilcox, Florida, who, on November 7, 1902, made Homestead Entry No. 3190 (Serial No. 0.941), for N 1/4 of Sec. 10, Township 10 South, Range 14 East, Tallahassee Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Florida, on the 2nd day of March, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: Cornelius Colson, S. B. Mikel, R. F. Rucker, Jr., L. N. Martin, all of Wilcox, Florida.  
HENRY S. CHUBB, Register.

### NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior.

U. S. Land Office at Gainesville, Fla.

Notice is hereby given that Cornelius Colson of Wilcox, Florida, who, on Sept. 23, 1902, made Homestead Entry No. 3179 (Serial No. 0.938), for S 1/4 of Sec. 10, Township 10 South, Range 14 East, Tallahassee Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final five-year proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Register and Receiver at Gainesville, Florida, on the 2nd day of March, 1909.

Claimant names as witnesses: John D. Wilkerson, S. B. Mikel, R. F. Rucker, Jr., L. N. Martin, all of Wilcox, Florida.  
HENRY S. CHUBB, Register.

### NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS.

All persons indebted to the estate of G. D. Younglove, deceased, are requested to pay same at once, and all creditors of the said estate are hereby notified to file their claims and present them to the Executor within six months from the first publication of this notice, otherwise the same will be pleaded in bar of said claims.

At Gainesville, Florida, this 1st day of December, A. D. 1908. ALICE V. YOUNGLOVE, As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of G. D. Younglove, Deceased.

If you have found anything see if it is advertised in the West column.

## J. W. PATTON

...Civil Engineer and Surveyor...

DEALER IN REAL ESTATE

Prompt attention to all business, Office, first door North of Thrasher's office, P. O. Box 193, Gainesville, Fla.

## T. F. THOMAS

UNDERTAKING CO.

FULL LINE OF  
NEW GOODS...

### AGENTS FOR

MONUMENTS, TOMBSTONES  
and IRON FENCES.

See our samples.

Persons, attention to all matters re-  
specting Mail and telegraph orders  
promptly attended to.

Gainesville, Florida.



## NEWS OF CITY AND COUNTY CONDENSED

MATTERS OF GENERAL INTEREST SECURED BY SUN REPORTERS.

What Has Happened and What is Going to Happen—Personal and Social Items of the City.

From Tuesday's Daily Sun:

J. R. Feaster, road overseer, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Minnie Crown of Rocky Point was in the city yesterday visiting her friend, Miss Estelle Beal.

Deputy Sheriff B. F. Dawkins has received the appointment as Deputy U. S. Marshal for this district.

Mrs. C. J. Mixson left yesterday for Dayton, where she will spend the next few days visiting her daughter.

E. A. Colson, one of the old-time substantial planters of the Trenton section, was meeting his friends in the city yesterday.

T. Julian McRae of McRae, Ga., spent a few hours with his parents in Gainesville Sunday. Sorry we did not see you, Julian.

E. Renault of Waldo, the baker of that town who supplies a large number of adjoining places, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

C. Y. Crawford returned Sunday from the West, where he purchased a fine lot of live stock for the livery firm of Crawford & Davis.

R. L. Polk of Alachua was transacting business in the city yesterday. Bob is always welcomed to Gainesville by his many friends.

Miss Sallie Perry of Rochelle was a visitor to Gainesville Monday. While here she was the guest of her friend, Mrs. E. C. F. Sanchez.

G. A. Byles of Windsor, who has been in the city for the past two weeks attending the Bible Conference, returned to his home yesterday.

Mrs. C. E. Bates of Santa Fe returned to her home yesterday after a short visit to the family of her brother, L. E. means of North Gainesville.

J. A. Hague of Hague was in the city yesterday. He has been suffering for some time with rheumatism and was scarcely able to get around.

The Baird Hardware Company have a change of advertisement in today's Sun in which they speak of the proper article to use on cleaning silver and other articles. The preparation has a guarantee.

Miss Daisy Westgaard of Palatka, acting deputy clerk for Putnam county, was in the city yesterday on business connected with the clerk's office. She formerly resided here with her parents and has a large number of friends in this city.

Miss Lila Thompson, an attractive young lady of High Springs, daughter of the Presbyterian minister, Rev. G. K. Thompson, returned to her home yesterday, after having spent the past week here. She was the guest of her friends, Misses McDowell of North Gainesville.

From Wednesday's Daily Sun:

M. S. Phifer of Windsor was a visitor to the city yesterday on a trading expedition.

W. M. Thomas, one of the business men and farmers of Alachua, was a visitor to the city yesterday.

Capt. C. A. Neal of Newberry and J. G. White of the same place were visitors to the city yesterday.

Miss Kate Haile of Virginia arrived in the city yesterday and will spend some time here as the guest of Mrs. B. F. Jordan.

W. T. Wilson of Alachua was in the city yesterday, having come down to visit his wife, who is confined in the hospital here.

Mrs. F. B. Hester of Evinston was among the shoppers visiting the city yesterday. She was accompanied by Ramey Hester.

J. J. Bigham of Archer was a visitor to the city yesterday. He is one of the truckers of that section and a large stock raiser.

Miss Annie Coulter, who is stopping with her sister, Mrs. F. D. Irwin of Fairbanks, was among the shoppers visiting the city yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Moseley, on Monday night, a fine girl. Both mother and child are doing nicely and Papa Moseley is all smiles.

Attention is directed to the statement of the Gainesville National Bank, which appears elsewhere in this issue.

sue. This bank has shown remarkable increase and a good and healthy business since its organization.

J. F. Burnett left yesterday for Daytona, where he will today be united in wedlock to Miss Alma Sullivan, a former resident of this city.

Mrs. Boardman of Hague was in the city yesterday. She and her husband will move to Jacksonville this week to make that city their future home.

Rev. W. G. Liddell of Dalton, Ga., desires to announce that he will preach for Rev. S. G. Thompson at High Springs Presbyterian church on next Sunday morning and evening.

J. K. Tuten, a merchant of Archer, and also who owns valuable property in this city, was here yesterday for the purpose of paying his taxes and looking after his interests generally.

Mrs. S. Y. McFarland of South Florida arrived in the city yesterday and will visit here for several days. She formerly resided here and has a large number of friends who will be glad to welcome her.

From Thursday's Daily Sun:

O. B. Weeks of Waldo was in the city yesterday on business.

A. D. Chamblin, justice of the peace at Archer, was a visitor to Gainesville yesterday.

Geo. L. Taylor, of the Gainesville Peach Orchard at Palmer, was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

J. M. Holt, Jr., was a visitor to the city from Newberry yesterday. He came over to look after his taxes.

Plank's Chili Tonic is guaranteed to cure chills, fever, colds and grippe. Price 25c. Sold by W. M. Johnson.

Miss Lucretia McIlvaine left yesterday for a short visit to DeLand, where she will spend the time with friends.

Conductor Arthur Boring of the Seaboard, with headquarters at Waldo, was among the visitors to the city yesterday.

Deputy Sheriff Bruton went to Dunnellon yesterday to take a couple of county prisoners to the camps of Rawls & Co.

Mrs. W. T. Gill left yesterday for Alachua, where she will spend the next few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chitty, who have been visiting relatives at Micanopy for a short while, returned to their home here yesterday.

Chas. W. Stephens of Alachua, one of the prominent planters of that section, was here yesterday attending to some business matters.

Mrs. J. M. Rivers and little son left yesterday for Santa Fe, where they will spend a few days visiting Mrs. Rivers' parents, Hon. and Mrs. W. M. Blitch.

Boliver Kincaid and W. W. Hampton, Jr., have returned from a short but pleasant visit to Tampa, where they went to take in the sights of the State Fair.

F. B. Godfrey, cashier of the Bank of Alachua, was in the city yesterday. He states that Alachua is fast becoming a business center and the town is forging ahead.

T. J. Cone of Raleigh was a visitor to the city Wednesday. He has again resumed operations at his mill and is shipping a good many orders of lumber at the present time.

Mrs. J. E. Wainwright left yesterday for DeLand, where she will spend a few days visiting her daughter, one of the teachers in the musical department of that institution.

F. M. Wilson of Wade was in the city yesterday. He came for the purpose of bringing Bob Cook, a crazy negro, who had only recently been released from the State institution.

Cabbage crates; sawn slats; two-piece heads—manufacture our usual standard of excellence. Ask our local growers. Let us book your order. Melton Lumber Co., Micanopy, Fla.

M. H. DeLand, cashier of the Bank of Williston, was among the visitors to Gainesville yesterday. He reports that little place lively and truckers all busy preparing for their spring crops.

W. G. Boltin, proprietor of the Gainesville Coca-Cola Bottling Works, has returned from a pleasant visit of a couple of weeks to his old home in South Carolina. Mrs. Boltin also returned with him.

Dr. A. E. Cline, veterinary surgeon, has opened offices at Crawford & Davis' stables and solicits a share of the public business. He is a graduate of the Kansas Veterinary College and is here to practice his profession. Calls answered day or night. Horse dentistry, cattle and dogs all receive prompt attention.

## Not Coughing Today?

Yet you may cough tomorrow! Better be prepared for it when it comes. Ask your doctor about keeping Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in the house. Then when the hard cold or cough first appears you have a doctor's medicine at hand. Your doctor's approval of its use will certainly set all doubt at rest. Do as he says. He knows. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Robust health is a great safeguard against attacks of throat and lung troubles, but constipation will destroy the best of health. Ask your doctor about Ayer's Pills.

Deputy Sheriff G. W. Livingston was among the visitors to the city yesterday. He was en route to Inverness, where he goes after a prisoner.

At Auction—Hoffman, the thoroughbred German Coach Stallion, will be sold at auction, to the highest bidder on Saturday, February 20, 1909, at 11 o'clock, in front of Crawford & Davis' stables. A rare chance to get a fine horse cheap. Don't forget the date and time.

### BURNETT-SULLIVAN.

Pretty Home Wedding Occurred at Daytona Wednesday Afternoon.

DAYTONA, Feb. 10.—A pretty home wedding was solemnized here today at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Sullivan, when Mr. J. Fletcher Burnett of Gainesville and her daughter, Miss Alma, were united in holy wedlock.

The wedding was a very quiet affair and only a few very intimate friends of the young lady were present to witness the ceremony.

Following the marriage the happy couple received the congratulations and left for their future home in Gainesville.

Both parties are well-known in this city, Miss Sullivan having for some time lived here and made a host of admiring friends who wish her much happiness in her wedded life.

Mr. Burnett was reared in Gainesville and has for several years held a position as salesman in the clothing store of L. J. Burkhim, and he has a host of friends who extend to him their best wishes.

### PROF. CORR'S LECTURE.

Was Greeted By a Packed House at Island Grove.

Editor Sun: It was my pleasure to spend Saturday and Sunday in Island Grove, the guest of Rev. J. N. Thompson and of Professor W. F. King. Saturday night I gave a lecture in the school building to a packed house. Through your columns I desire to extend my sincere thanks to the citizens of Island Grove for their hospitality.

The school board made no mistake in placing Prof. King in charge of the Island Grove school. The impress of his earnestness is very evident.

P. W. CORR.

Dade City, Fla., Feb. 10, 1909.

### OCALA EAGLES.

Representative Crowd from Brick City Put Boys Through.

The working team of the Ocala Aerle, F. O. E., arrived in the city Wednesday afternoon for the purpose of initiating the local members into the secret work of the order.

The party composing the team were: C. O. Harris, C. A. Fort, W. S. McLaughlin, A. S. Burgess, A. O. Cordero, J. F. Hall, Andy Faucett, W. G. Evans, J. C. Marshall, T. S. Deacle, W. C. Bradley, C. W. Duckworth and H. A. Faucett.

### A GOOD SHOWING.

Honor Roll of Rocky Point School No. 76.

Grade.	Pupil.	Average.
10—	Clara McDonald	98
7—	Henry Gleason	93
	Walter Crown	92
	Will Crown	92
5—	Martha Taylor	93
3—	Edwin McDonald	94
	Alice Crown	91
	D. A. Smith	90
2—	Raymond Crown	97
	Fred Gleason	96
	Harry McDonald	94
	Lansing Taylor	92
1—	Mary Crown	96

AVICE WALKER, Principal.

### For HEADACHE—Hicks' CAPUDINE.

Whether from colds, heat, stomach or nervous troubles, Capudine will relieve you. It's liquid—pleasant to take—acts immediately. Try it. 10c, 25c and 50c at all drug stores.

### OBITUARY.

Walter Horatio Palmer, Esq., who departed this life at his home in North Gainesville on Sunday evening, January 31, 1909, came from an honored and distinguished ancestry. His maternal ancestor, Charles Clarke, who for nearly fifty years held the office of justice of the county of Hunterdon, New Jersey, was appointed by the Governor in 1731, and was relieved, at his own request, on account of the infirmities of age. His son, Benjamin Clarke, was made his successor by the Governor and council.

Charles Clarke was also one of the incorporators of the First Presbyterian Church of Trenton, New Jersey, under a patent granted by King George II, of this church, one of the very first Presbyterian organizations effected in the American colonies. He was a trustee, "which office he held for nearly twenty-five years, and never failed to be present at a business meeting."

In this line, Mr. Palmer was, through Joshua Howell and Rebecca Reed, a kinsman of Mrs. Varina Davis, the wife of Jefferson Davis, the President of the Confederate States.

Mr. Palmer was born at Northville, Michigan, August 30, 1843. He was a graduate of the University of Michigan in 1871. For two years (1877 and 1879) he served as a member of the Legislature of his native State, with a record clear and unsullied. He practiced law in Reed City, Michigan, and then in Detroit, and had continued in the active duties of his chosen profession to the end of his life, with the exception of four or five years after he came to Florida, because of failing health, which period was given to editorial work on a weekly paper published in Gainesville. He was a most able lawyer, just and firm in his convictions, and never wavering or uncertain in any statement concerning the law.

A friend who was intimately and constantly associated with him for five years, says: "I have never heard Mr. Palmer speak a profane or unclean word; and I have never had an unkind thought of him."

Mr. Palmer married Miss Viola Misick of Sandwich, Illinois, in 1875, who survives him. The living children of this marriage are J. Holland Palmer of Macon, Georgia, and Florence L. Palmer, the wife of Herbert S. Graves of Gainesville.

Coming to Florida in 1884 in search of health, Mr. Palmer spent the last twenty-five years of his life in Gainesville, in honor and integrity; he became fully identified with its people and interests, and leaves it the poorer, in the loss of an upright and useful citizen.

He was a devoted husband, a tenderly affectionate father, a kind and courteous neighbor, and a loyal friend to all who won his confidence and esteem.

Gainesville, Florida, Feb. 10, 1909.

### WANTED—MALE HELP.

MEN WANTED.—Call at 108 E. Liberty Street. We can interest you and make it to your advantage to work for us.

### FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Chufa seed \$1 per peck. H. H. Thomas, Earleton, Florida.

FOR SALE—Seed chufas, \$3.00 per bushel. J. H. Hall, Orange Springs, Florida.

FOR SALE—Very prolific variety Sea Island cotton seed direct from Islands of South Carolina. James Chesnut, Gainesville, Fla., Box 246.

FOR SALE—Two breeding pens of Barred Plymouth Rocks. Nineteen hens, trio cocks. These are a selected bunch of the best Rocks in the South, and contains a trio of prize-winners. Hens \$1.50 each, cocks \$2.50 each. Guarantee satisfaction. Royal Blue Poultry Farm, Micanopy, Fla.

## SETZER IS CHARGED WITH SELLING BOOZE

SHERIFF RAMSEY ARRESTED HIM WEDNESDAY FOR OFFENCE.

Warrant Was Sworn Out by W. B. Blitch of High Springs on Above Charge.

H. L. Setzer, a merchant of High Springs, has been arrested by Sheriff Ramsey on a charge of selling whiskey in that town and will be given his preliminary hearing here before County Judge Mason.

Setzer had already been arrested by the marshal of High Springs, who, it is alleged, found two barrels of bottled goods in his possession, one being filled with pints and the other with quarts.

It is alleged that Setzer has been dealing in the liquid for some time and a close watch has been kept on his place of business until the time of his arrest, which was done by the city officers of High Springs on last Monday, but for unknown reasons the case has been put off, with the result that a warrant was sworn out here for the man and the sheriff went after him.

### Had Men Arrested.

A Mrs. Davis, who runs a boarding-house at McIntosh, yesterday 'phoned the sheriff here to arrest a couple of young men who were making for the city, claiming that they had been guilty of forgery. Deputy Sheriff Dawkins succeeded in capturing the men, who were fairly well dressed, and they claimed that they had only jumped their board bill, being unable to pay the same. They are now in jail awaiting further orders from McIntosh.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Special Legislation.

Notice is hereby given that, at the regular session of the Legislature of the State of Florida, convening at Tallahassee in April, A. D. 1909, application will be made for special legislation for the Town of Newberry, Alachua county, Florida, giving it a special charter, providing for its government and prescribing its jurisdiction and powers thereunder.

Sun "Want" ads. bring results.

**Furniture for Every Room in the House Prices and Terms to Suit**

Gainesville Furniture Co. Gainesville, Florida.